

# Lagrange's multiplier method.

max/min

$$f(x_1, \dots, x_n, u_1, \dots, u_m).$$

s.t.

$$\begin{cases} g_1 = 0 \\ g_2 = 0 \\ \vdots \\ g_m = 0. \end{cases}$$

$$g_i = g_i(x_1, \dots, x_n, u_1, \dots, u_m).$$

$\lambda \times \frac{df}{dx} = 0$  · for stationary pts.

$$\lambda_1 \times dg_1 = 0$$

$$\lambda_2 \times dg_2 = 0$$

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$$\lambda_m \times dg_m = 0.$$

$$\boxed{\frac{dL}{dx} = 0} \text{ after } L = f + \lambda_1 g_1 + \lambda_2 g_2 + \dots + \lambda_m g_m.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \dots & L_{x_1} = 0, L_{x_2} = 0 \dots L_{x_n} = 0 \\ & L_{u_1} = 0, L_{u_2} = 0 \dots L_{u_m} = 0. \\ & g_1 = 0, g_2 = 0 \dots g_m = 0. \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} n+m+m \\ = n+2m. \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\begin{cases} \frac{d^2L}{dx^2} > 0 \rightarrow \min \\ < 0 \rightarrow \max. \end{cases}$$

Example: Use Lagrange's method to find the shortest distance from the point  $(0, b)$  to the parabola  $x^2 = 4y$ .

S.I.

$$\begin{aligned} & \min \\ f(x,y) &= (x-0)^2 + (y-b)^2 \\ \text{s.t. } & x^2 = 4y \quad \underline{x^2 - 4y = 0} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Let } L(x,y) = x^2 + (y-b)^2 + \lambda(x^2 - 4y).$$

$$\begin{cases} L_x = 0 & L_x = 2x + 2\lambda x = 0 \Rightarrow \underline{x=0 \text{ or } \lambda=-1} \\ L_y = 0 & L_y = 2(y-b) - 4\lambda = 0 \Rightarrow y = b + 2\lambda. \end{cases}$$

$$\underline{x^2 - 4y = 0}$$

$$\underline{\text{Case 1}} \quad x=0, y=0. \quad \lambda = -b/2$$

$$(0,0)$$

$$\begin{aligned} d^2L &= L_{xx}(dx)^2 + L_{yy}(dy)^2 \\ &\quad + 2L_{xy}dx dy \end{aligned}$$

$$\underline{\text{Case 2}} \quad \underline{\lambda = -1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (2+2)(dx)^2 + 2(dy)^2 \\ &\quad + 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$> 0 \text{ if } 2+2 \cdot \left(-\frac{b}{2}\right) >$$

$$\min \text{ at } i.e. \boxed{b < 2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y &= b-2 \\ x &= \pm 2\sqrt{b-2} \end{aligned}$$

$$(\pm 2\sqrt{b-2}, b-2), b > 2.$$

$$(0,0) \text{ provided } \underline{b < 2}$$

$$\min \text{ or } \max \rightarrow d^2L > 0 ??$$

• if  $b < 2$ ,  $(0,0)$  is the only critical pt.  
 $\& \min \nabla S.D = b$

• if  $b \geq 2$ ,  $(\pm 2\sqrt{b-2}, b-2)$  are the  
 critical pts, min.,  $S.D = 2\sqrt{b-1}$ .

Example: Maximize  $x^a y^b z^c$ , where  $a, b, c$   
 are the constants s.t. the condition  
 $x^k + y^k + z^k = 1$   
 where  $x, y, z$  are non-negative variables  
 $\& k > 0$ .

S.L. Max  $x^a y^b z^c$

max  $a \log x + b \log y + c \log z$

s.t.  $x^k + y^k + z^k = 1$

Let  $L = a \log x + b \log y + c \log z - \lambda(x^k + y^k + z^k - 1)$

$$L_x = 0 = \frac{a}{x} - \lambda k x^{k-1} \Rightarrow \lambda x^k = \frac{a}{k}$$

$$L_y = 0 = \frac{b}{y} - \lambda k y^{k-1} \Rightarrow \lambda y^k = \frac{b}{k}$$

$$L_z = 0 = \frac{c}{z} - \lambda k z^{k-1} \Rightarrow \lambda z^k = \frac{c}{k}$$

$$\lambda(x^k + y^k + z^k) = \frac{a+b+c}{k}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{a+b+c}{k} \quad \text{at } x^k + y^k + z^k = 1$$

$$\therefore x^k = \frac{a}{a+b+c}, \quad y^k = \frac{b}{a+b+c}, \quad z^k = \frac{c}{a+b+c}$$

gives the stationary pts.  $(x^k, y^k, z^k)$

To check max/min

$$d^L L$$

$$\begin{aligned} L_{xx} &= -\frac{a}{x^2} - \lambda k(k-1)x^{k-2} \\ &= -\frac{a - \lambda k(k-1)x^k}{x^2} \\ &= -\frac{a - (k-\lambda)a}{x^2} \\ &= -\frac{\lambda a}{x^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$L_{yy} = -\frac{\lambda b}{y^2}$$

$$L_{zz} = -\frac{\lambda c}{z^2}$$

$$L_{xy} = 0 = L_{yz} = L_{zx}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cdot d^L L &= L_{xx}(dx)^L + L_{yy}(dy)^L + L_{zz}(dz)^L \\ &\quad + 2L_{xy} dx dy + 2L_{xz} dx dz \\ &\quad + 2L_{yz} dy dz. \end{aligned}$$

at critical pts.

$$= -\frac{a\lambda}{x^2}(dx)^L - \frac{b\lambda}{y^2}(dy)^L - \frac{c\lambda}{z^2}(dz)^L.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & x^k + y^k + z^k = 1. \\
 \Rightarrow & k x^{k-1} dx + k y^{k-1} dy \\
 & + k z^{k-1} dz = 0. \\
 \Rightarrow & dz = - \frac{x^{k-1} dx + y^{k-1} dy}{z^{k-1}}. \\
 = & - \frac{ak}{x^k} (dx)^k - \frac{bk}{y^k} (dy)^k + \frac{ck}{z^k} \left( \frac{x^{k-1} dx + y^{k-1} dy}{z^{k-1}} \right)^2 \\
 < 0 \quad \text{as } a, k, b, c > 0.
 \end{aligned}$$

So max. value

$$x^a y^b z^c \leq \sqrt[k]{\left(\frac{a}{a+b+c}\right)^a \left(\frac{b}{a+b+c}\right)^b \left(\frac{c}{a+b+c}\right)^c}.$$

(ii) Hence prove that for any six  
real numbers  $u, v, w, a, b, c$ ,

$$\left(\frac{u}{a}\right)^a \left(\frac{v}{b}\right)^b \left(\frac{w}{c}\right)^c \leq \left(\frac{u+v+w}{a+b+c}\right)^{a+b+c}.$$

. (GM  $\leq$  A.M.)

$$\checkmark \quad x^k = \frac{u}{u+v+w}, \quad y^k = \frac{v}{u+v+w},$$

$$z^k = \frac{w}{u+v+w}$$

Q.E.D.

$$\frac{u^a \cdot v^b \cdot w^c}{(u+v+w)^{a+b+c}} \leq \frac{a^a b^b c^c}{(a+b+c)^{a+b+c}}.$$

$$\left(\frac{u}{a}\right)^a \left(\frac{v}{b}\right)^b \left(\frac{w}{c}\right)^c \leq \left(\frac{u+v+w}{a+b+c}\right)^{a+b+c}.$$

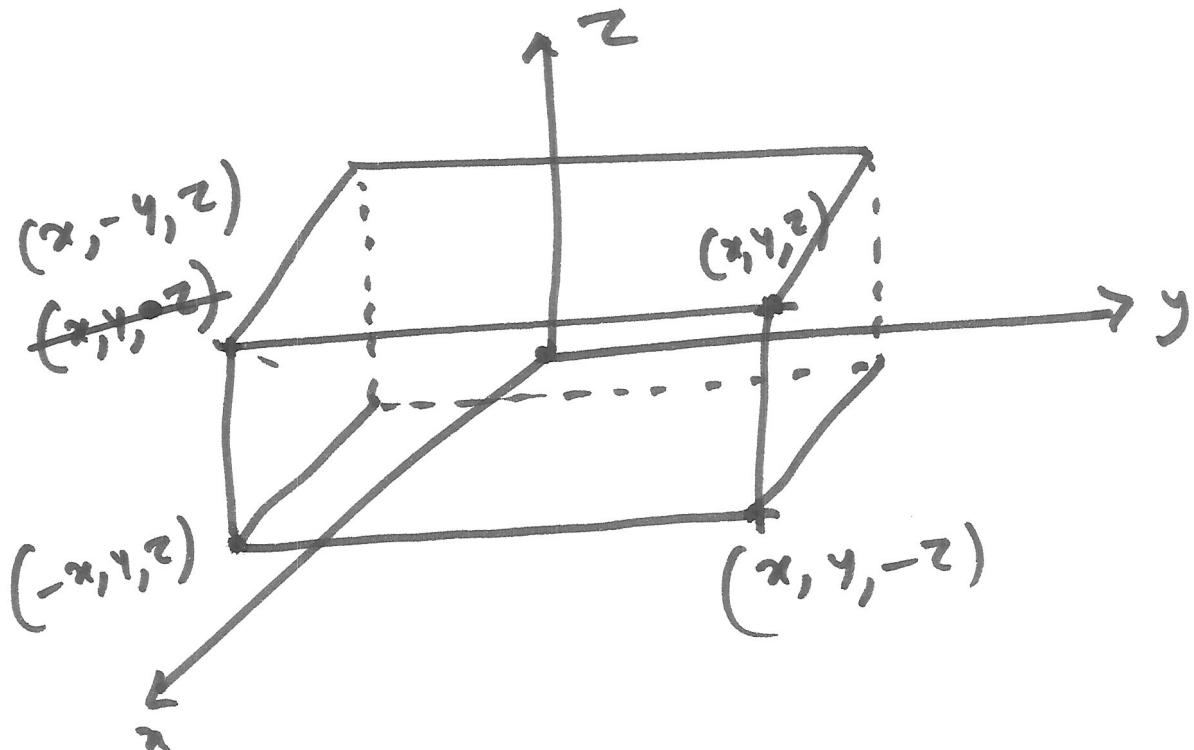
proved.

Example: Prove that the volume of the greatest rectangular parallelopiped that can be inscribed in the ellipsoid

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1 \quad \text{is} \quad \frac{8abc}{3\sqrt{3}}.$$

$$\underline{\text{max.}} \quad V = (2x)(2y)(2z)$$

$$\text{s.t.} \quad \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} + \frac{z^2}{c^2} = 1.$$



- $dL = 0$
- $d^2L \cancel{\geq} 0.$

# Ordinary Differential equation.

Example:



(only one independent variable).

$$(y+1)^2 \frac{dz}{dx} + z \frac{dy}{dx} - (y+a) = 0.$$

→  $z$  is the only independent variable.

$x, y$  dependent variables.  
all differential coefficients → single ind. variable.



## Partial differential eqn.

(more than one ind. variable)

Example:

$$y \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + xy \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = nz$$

→  $x, y$  are ind. variables  
 $z$  is dep. variable.

- order of a DE ?
- degree of a DE ?

Example:

(i)  $\frac{\left[1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2\right]^{3/2}}{\frac{d^3y}{dx^3}} = y.$

$$\left[1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2\right]^{3/2} = y^2 \left(\frac{d^3y}{dx^3}\right)$$

order = 2

degree = 2.

(ii)  $y = x \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{a}{\frac{dy}{dx}}$  order = 1  
degree = 2

Example: ~~From~~ From  $x^2 + y^2 + 2ax + 2by + c = 0,$   
derive a DE not containing a, b or c.

Soln.  $x^2 + y^2 + 2ax + 2by + c = 0 \quad \text{--- } ①$

w.r.t x  $2x + 2y \frac{dy}{dx} + 2a + 2b \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 0 \quad \checkmark$

w.r.t x  $1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 + y \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + b \frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = 0. \quad \checkmark$

w.r.t x  $2 \frac{dy}{dx} \left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right) + \frac{dy}{dx} \frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + y \frac{d^4y}{dx^4} + b \frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = 0.$

$$\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} \left[ 1 + \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 \right] - 3 \frac{dy}{dx} \left( \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \right)^2 = 0. \quad (2)$$

(eliminating b).

Complete integral / general soln.

• ① is called the complete integral of the DE ②.

•  $\boxed{\# \text{ of consts. in a complete integral of a DE} = \text{order of the DE.}}$

Particular solns.  $\rightarrow$  giving particular values to the consts. in the complete int. of the DE.

Exercise Form the DE of which

$e^{2y} + 2cx e^y + c^2 = 0$  is the complete integral.

order = ?  
degree = ?

# DE of 1st. order , 1st. degree

1. Eqn<sup>m</sup>. of the form  $f_1(x)dx + f_2(y)dy = 0$ .  
 (variables are separable).

Example:  $(1-x)dy - (1+y)dx = 0$ .

2. Eqn<sup>m</sup>. homogeneous in  $x, y$ .

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{f_1(x,y)}{f_2(x,y)}, \quad f_1, f_2 \text{ homogeneous in } x, y \text{ of same degree.}$$

↓  
put  
 $y = vx$  .

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = v + x \frac{dv}{dx} .$$

Example:  $(x^2+y^2)dx - 2xy dy = 0$ .

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x^2+y^2}{2xy} .$$

$$v + x \frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{1+v^2}{2v} .$$

Let  $\boxed{y = vx}$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = v + x \frac{dv}{dx}$$

$$x \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1+y^L}{2y} - y = \frac{1-y^L}{2y}.$$

$$\therefore \frac{2y}{1-y^L} dy = \frac{dx}{x}$$

 Soln.  $x^L - y^L = cx, \quad c \text{ arb. const.}$

3. Non-homogeneous eqn. of first degree  
in  $x, y$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{ax+by+c}{a_1x+b_1y+c_1}$$

 put  $x = x' + h$   
 $y = y' + k$ .

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy'}{dx'}$$

$$\frac{dy'}{dx'} = \frac{ax'+by'+(c+ah+bk)}{a_1x'+b_1y'+(c_1+ah+bk)}$$

Choose  $h, k$  so that

$$\begin{cases} ah + bk + c = 0 \\ a_1h + b_1k + c_1 = 0 \end{cases}$$

Then we get  $h, k$ .

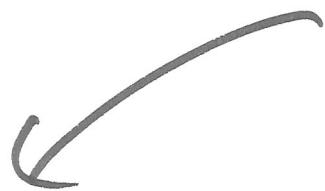
$$\frac{dy'}{dx'} = \frac{ax' + by'}{a_1x' + b_1y'}$$

put  $y' = vx'$   
& proceed.

Example: Solve

$$(3y - 7x + 7)dx$$

$$+ (7y - 3x + 3)dy = 0.$$



$$\frac{dy_1}{dx_1} = \frac{-3y_1 + 7x_1}{7y_1 - 3x_1}$$

~~$x_1 = ?$~~

$$x = x_1 + h$$

$$y = y_1 + k$$

$$h = ?$$

$$k = ?$$

$$3k - 7h + 7 = 0$$

$$7k - 3h + 3 = 0.$$

#### 4. Exact DE.

$Mdx + Ndy = 0$ ,  $M, N$  fun's of  $x, y$ .

is exact iff

$$\boxed{\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial N}{\partial x}}.$$

$\boxed{Mdx + Ndy}$  is exact if  $\exists u = u(x, y)$

L.t.  $Mdx + Ndy = \boxed{du} = u_x dx + u_y dy$

$$\Rightarrow u_x = M \quad \text{and} \quad u_y = N.$$

$\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} =$   
 $\frac{\partial N}{\partial x} =$   
(terms of  $N$  free from  $x$ )  
 $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x \partial y}$

Soln:

$$\int M dx + \int (\text{terms of } N \text{ free from } x) dy = C,$$

$C$  is a const.

Example:

$$(x^2 - 4xy - 2y^2) dx + \underbrace{(y^2 - 4xy - 2x^2) dy}_{N} = 0. \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = -4x - 4y$$

$$\frac{\partial N}{\partial x} = -4y - 4x = \frac{\partial M}{\partial y}.$$

So (1) is exact DE.

$\therefore$  Complete integral is given by

$$\int (x^2 - 4xy - 2y^2) dx + \int y^2 dy = C, \text{ const.}$$

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{x^3}{3} - 4\frac{x^2}{2}y - 2y^5x + \frac{y^3}{3} = c .$$

Integrating factor (IF).

Example:

$$\boxed{ydx - xdy = 0} \rightarrow \text{not exact.}$$

$$\downarrow \\ M = y, N = -x .$$

- but when multiplied by  $\frac{1}{y^2}$

$$\frac{ydx - xdy}{y^2} = 0 .$$

$$\text{i.e. } d\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = 0 . \rightarrow \frac{x}{y} = c, \text{ const.}$$

- when multiplied by  $\frac{1}{xy}$ .

$$\frac{dx}{x} - \frac{dy}{y} = 0 . \rightarrow \text{exact.}$$

$$M = \frac{1}{x}, N = -\frac{1}{y}$$

$$\log x - \log y = \log c .$$

- $\frac{1}{x^2}$  is also an IF.
- # of IFs infinite.

$$M dx + N dy = 0$$

$$\rightarrow \text{exact} \quad \frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial N}{\partial x}$$



exact.



complete integral is

$$\int M dx + \int \left( \text{terms free from } \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \right) dy = C.$$

why?

Exact DE. (1st. order 1st. degree)

$$\underline{M dx + N dy = 0 = du = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} dy.}$$

~~for~~ for some fn.  $u = u(x, y)$

$$M = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x},$$

$$N = \frac{\partial u}{\partial y},$$

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial N}{\partial x}$$

as exact.

$$u(x, y) = \int M dx + \phi(y) \quad \text{---} \circled{1}.$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \int M dx + \phi'(y).$$

$$N' = \left| \int \left( \frac{\partial M}{\partial y} \right) dx + \phi'(y) \right| . N, N' \rightarrow \text{continuous diff. fun's.}$$

$$= \int \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} dx + \phi'(y) . \quad \cdot \frac{\partial M}{\partial y}, \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} \rightarrow \text{continuous in some region.}$$

$$\therefore \phi'(y) = N - \int \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} dx .$$

Hence

$$u(x, y) = \int M dx + \phi(y) \quad (\text{by } ①)$$

$$c = \int M dx + \int \left[ N - \int \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} dx \right] dy$$

$$\therefore du = 0 \Rightarrow u = c \text{ in the domain.}$$

$\downarrow$  term  $\int N$  containing  $x$ .

Example

$$N = \frac{y^2 - 3x^2}{y^4} .$$

$$\frac{\partial N}{\partial x} = -\frac{6x}{y^4}$$

$$\int \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} = -\frac{6x^2}{2y^4} = -\frac{3x^2}{y^4}$$

# Rules for finding IFS.

- By inspection

$$M dx + N dy = 0$$

Example:  $y dx - x dy + \log x \, dx = 0. \quad \text{--- (1)}$

$$M = y + \log x, \quad N = -x$$

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = 1 \neq \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} = -1$$

(1) Not exact.

$$\frac{y \, dx - x \, dy}{x^2} + \frac{\log x}{x^2} \, dx = 0.$$

$$-d\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) + \frac{\log x}{x^2} \, dx = 0.$$

$$cx + y + \log x + 1 = 0 \quad (\text{check}).$$

Example:  $(1+xy) \, y \, dx + (1-x) \, x \, dy = 0.$

$$\frac{y \, dx + x \, dy}{x^2 y^2} + \frac{x y^2 \, dx - x^2 y \, dy}{x^2 y^2} = 0.$$

$$\frac{d(xy)}{(xy)^2} + \frac{dx}{x} - \frac{dy}{y} = 0.$$

Rule I.

$$M dx + N dy = 0.$$

if  $Mx + Ny \neq 0$ , eqn. is homogeneous

then  $\frac{1}{Mx+Ny}$  is an IF.

Rule II

$$\underbrace{f_1(xy) y dx}_{M} + \underbrace{f_2(xy) x dy}_{N} = 0.$$

if  $Mx - Ny \neq 0$ , then  $\frac{1}{Mx - Ny}$  is an IF.

Rule III

$$M dx + N dy = 0.$$

$$\text{if } \frac{\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial N}{\partial x}}{N} = f(x)$$

$f(x)$ , a fun. of  $x$  alone.

then  $e^{\int f(x) dx}$  is an IF.

### Rule IV

If  $\frac{\frac{\partial N}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial M}{\partial y}}{M} = f(y)$ , a fun. of  
y alone  
then  $e^{\int f(y) dy}$  is an IF.

Example:  $(x^2 + y^2)dx - 2xydy = 0. \quad \text{--- } ①$

$$M = x^2 + y^2, \quad N = -2xy.$$

$$\frac{\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial N}{\partial x}}{N} = \frac{2y + 2y}{-2xy} = -\frac{2}{x}.$$

$$\therefore \text{IF} = e^{-\int \frac{2}{x} dx} = e^{-2 \log x} = \frac{1}{x^2}.$$

$\frac{1}{x^2}$  makes it exact  
find the soln.