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Duration: 120 minutes

Q1 (5 + 5 pts) : (a) Let Ω_1 and Ω_2 be convex subsets of \mathbb{R}^n . Prove that $\Omega_1 + \Omega_2$ is a convex set of \mathbb{R}^n .

(b) Let $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be convex function and let $\psi : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \bar{\mathbb{R}}$ be non-decreasing and convex on a convex set containing the range of the function f . Show that $\psi \circ f$ is convex.

Q2 (12pts) : Let $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a differentiable function on a nonempty convex set Ω in \mathbb{R}^n . Prove that the following are equivalent.

(i) f is convex.

(ii) $f(x) - f(\bar{x}) \geq \nabla f(\bar{x})(x - \bar{x})$ for all $x, \bar{x} \in \Omega$

Q3 (8pts) : Show that the following problem is a convex optimization problem

$$\text{Minimize } f(x_1, x_2) = \sqrt{(x_1 - x_4)^2 + (x_2 - x_5)^2 + (x_3 - x_6)^2}$$

$$\text{subject to } (x_4 - 3)^2 + x_5^2 \leq 1,$$

$$4 \leq x_6 \leq 7.$$

Q4 (1 + 4 + 6 pts) : (a) Define a normal cone to a convex set at a point.

(b) Let $\bar{x} \in \Omega$ for a convex subset Ω of \mathbb{R}^n . Then prove that $N(\bar{x}; \Omega)$ is a closed, convex cone containing the origin.

(c) Define domain and epigraph of an extended real-valued function f . Show that $\partial f(\bar{x}) = N((\bar{x}; \text{dom} f))$, where $\partial f(\bar{x})$ is the singular subdifferential of f at $\bar{x} \in \text{dom} f$.

Q5 (5 + 5 + 4 pts) : (a) Determine the subdifferential of the convex function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -x, & \text{if } x < 0 \\ x^2 & \text{if } x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

at the points -1 and 0.

(b) Use the the definition of directional derivative to determine $\partial f(0)$, where

$$f(x_1, x_2) = |x_1| + x_2^2.$$

(c) Let $f_1(x) = -x$ and $f_2(x) = x, x \in R$. use the result

$$\partial(\max f_i)(\bar{x}) \supset \text{co}\{\cap_{i \in I(\bar{x})} \partial f_i(\bar{x})\},, i = 1, 2, \dots, m$$

to compute $\partial f(0)$.

Or

(c) Define Gateaux derivative of an extended real-valued function at the fixed point. If f is a Gateaux differentiable at \bar{x} , then show that $\partial f(\bar{x})$ is a singleton.

Q6 (10pts) : Compute the Fenchel conjugate of

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^p}{p}, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ \infty & \text{if } x < 0, \end{cases}$$

where $x \in R, p \in R, p > 1$.

Q7 (3 + 7 pts) : (a) Define polar cone, dual cone and tangent cone to a convex set at a point.

(b) Let Ω be a non-empty convex set in R^n . Let $\bar{x} \in \Omega$. Then prove that the normal cone of Ω at \bar{x} is the polar cone of the tangent cone of Ω at \bar{x} (That is $N(\bar{x}; \Omega) = (T(\bar{x}; \Omega))^*$).

Or

(b) Let Ω be a non-empty convex set in R^n . Let Ω_1 and Ω_2 be convex sets with $\text{int}(\Omega_1 \cap \Omega_2) \neq \phi$. Show that

$$T(\bar{x}; \Omega_1 \cap \Omega_2) = T(\bar{x}; \Omega_1) \cap T(\bar{x}; \Omega_2)$$

for any $\bar{x} \in \Omega_1 \cap \Omega_2$.

Q8 (15 pts) : Use Karush-Kuhn-Tucker necessary conditions to determine all solutions of the following problem:

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

$$\text{subject to } -x_1 + x_2 - 2 \leq 0$$

$$x_1^2 - x_2 \leq 0.$$

Q9 (10pts) : Sketch the feasible set defined by

$$S = \{(x_1, x_2) : x_2 - 2 \leq 0, 1 + (x_1 - 1)^2 - x_2 \leq 0, \}$$

Find the set of the feasible direction at point $(1, 1)$ of the feasible set S .

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~~Define a convex set.~~ Let $\Omega_1, \Omega_2 \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ be convex sets and ~~let $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$~~ . Then prove that $\Omega_1 + \Omega_2$ is also convex set in \mathbb{R}^n .

~~Sol: Definition~~

Fix any $x, y \in \Omega_1 + \Omega_2$ and $\lambda \in (0, 1)$. Then

$$x = x_1 + x_2 ; x_1 \in \Omega_1 \text{ and } x_2 \in \Omega_2$$

$$y = y_1 + y_2 ; y_1 \in \Omega_1 \text{ and } y_2 \in \Omega_2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus } \lambda x + (1-\lambda)y &= \lambda(x_1 + x_2) + (1-\lambda)(y_1 + y_2) \\ &= \underbrace{\lambda x_1 + (1-\lambda)y_1}_{\in \Omega_1} + \underbrace{\lambda x_2 + (1-\lambda)y_2}_{\in \Omega_2} \\ &\in \Omega_1 + \Omega_2 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore $\Omega_1 + \Omega_2$ is a convex set.

~~Define a convex function on a convex set.~~ Let $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a convex function and let $\psi: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \bar{\mathbb{R}}$ be nondecreasing and convex on a convex set containing the range of the function f . Show that $\psi \circ f$ is convex.

Proof:- ~~Def~~

Take any $x_1, x_2 \in \mathbb{R}^n$ and $\lambda \in (0, 1)$, Then we have by the convexity of f that

$$f(\lambda x_1 + (1-\lambda)x_2) \leq \lambda f(x_1) + (1-\lambda)f(x_2)$$

Since ψ is nondecreasing and it is also convex,

$$(\psi \circ f)(\lambda x_1 + (1-\lambda)x_2) = \psi(f(\lambda x_1 + (1-\lambda)x_2))$$

$$\leq \psi(\lambda f(x_1) + (1-\lambda)f(x_2))$$

$$\leq \lambda \psi(f(x_1)) + (1-\lambda)\psi(f(x_2))$$

$$= \lambda (\psi \circ f)(x_1) + (1-\lambda)(\psi \circ f)(x_2)$$

$\text{LHS} = a, \text{RHS} = b$
ψ is non d.
$a \leq b$
$\psi(a) \leq \psi(b)$

to show that

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Let $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be differentiable over an open domain. Prove that following are equivalent

(i) f is convex

(ii) $f(y) \geq f(x) + \nabla f(x)^T (y-x)$, for all $x, y \in \text{dom}(f)$

Sol: (i) \Rightarrow (ii) or $\begin{matrix} y \rightarrow \bar{x} \\ x \rightarrow \bar{x} \end{matrix}$

$$f(\lambda y + (1-\lambda)x) \leq \lambda f(y) + (1-\lambda)f(x),$$

$$f(x + \lambda(y-x)) \leq f(x) + \lambda(f(y) - f(x))$$

$$f(y) - f(x) \geq \frac{f(x + \lambda(y-x)) - f(x)}{\lambda} \quad \forall \lambda \in (0, 1]$$

As $\lambda \rightarrow 0$, we get

$$f(y) - f(x) \geq \nabla f(x)^T (y-x) \quad \text{--- (by Taylor series)}$$

(ii) \Rightarrow (i) Suppose (ii) holds $\forall x, y \in \text{dom}(f)$, Take any $x, y \in \text{dom}(f)$ and let

$$z = \lambda x + (1-\lambda)y$$



We have

$$f(x) \geq f(z) + \nabla f(z)^T (x-z) \quad \times \lambda$$

$$f(y) \geq f(z) + \nabla f(z)^T (y-z) \quad \times (1-\lambda)$$

Adding

$$\lambda f(x) + (1-\lambda)f(y) \geq f(z) + \nabla f(z)^T (\lambda x + (1-\lambda)y - z)$$

$$= f(z)$$

$$= f(\lambda x + (1-\lambda)y)$$

$\neq z=0$

$$f(x) = f(\bar{x}) + f'(\bar{x})(x-\bar{x}) + \frac{f''(\bar{x})}{2}(x-\bar{x})^2 + \dots$$

$$f(x) = f(\bar{x}) + \nabla f(\bar{x})(x-\bar{x}) + \frac{1}{2} \lambda(\bar{x}; x-\bar{x})$$

where $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 0} \lambda(\bar{x}; x-\bar{x}) = 0$

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Show that the following problem is a convex optimization problem

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Minimize} \quad & (x_1 - x_4)^2 + (x_2 - x_5)^2 + (x_3 - x_6)^2 \\ & (x_4 - 3)^2 + x_5^2 \leq 1 \\ & 4 \leq x_6 \leq 7 \end{aligned}$$

Sol: objective function:

$$\sqrt{\begin{pmatrix} x_1 - x_4 \\ x_2 - x_5 \\ x_3 - x_6 \end{pmatrix}}$$

Norm is a cx function.

Hessian of $g_1(x) = (x_4 - 3)^2 + x_5^2 - 1$ is

$$\nabla^2 g_1(x) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Hessian is PSD and so the function $g_1(x)$ is convex. Consequently set $g_1(x) \leq 0$ is convex.

Set $4 \leq x_6 \leq 7$ is the intersection of hyperplanes and so cx.

\Rightarrow Problem is cx.

Q.4 (1+4+6): Let $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ be a convex set with $\bar{x} \in \Omega$; (4)

The normal cone to Ω at \bar{x} is

$$N(\bar{x}; \Omega) = \{v \in \mathbb{R}^n; \langle v, x - \bar{x} \rangle \leq 0 \text{ for all } x \in \Omega\}$$

(b) We will show $N(\bar{x}, \Omega)$ is a convex cone

$\lambda x \in \Omega, x \in \Omega$
 $\lambda \geq 0$

By the definition

$$\langle v, x - \bar{x} \rangle \leq 0 \quad \forall x \in \Omega$$

$$\langle \lambda v, x - \bar{x} \rangle = \lambda \underbrace{\langle v, x - \bar{x} \rangle}_{\leq 0}, \quad \forall x \in \Omega$$

≤ 0

Thus $\lambda v \in N(\bar{x}; \Omega)$

$\Rightarrow N(\bar{x}; \Omega)$ is a convex cone.

To check its closedness: Fix a sequence $\{v_k\} \subset N(\bar{x}; \Omega)$ that converges to v .

Then passing to limit in

$$\langle v_k, x - \bar{x} \rangle \leq 0 \quad \forall x \in \Omega \text{ as } k \rightarrow \infty$$

yields $\langle v, x - \bar{x} \rangle \leq 0$ whenever $x \in \Omega$ and so $v \in N(\bar{x}; \Omega)$

(c)

$$f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \bar{\mathbb{R}}$$

$$\text{dom } f = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n; f(x) < \infty\}$$

$$\text{epi } f = \{(x, t) \in \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}; x \in \mathbb{R}^n, t \geq f(x)\}$$

$$= \{(x, t) \in \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}; x \in \text{dom } f, t \geq f(x)\}$$

definition

Fix any $v \in \partial f(x)$ $= \{v \in \mathbb{R}^n; \langle v, 0 \rangle \in N(\bar{x}; f(\bar{x})); \text{epi } f\}$

$x \in \text{dom } f$ and observe that $(x, f(x)) \in \text{epi } f$,

Using def. of $\partial f(x)$ and normal cone give us

$$\langle v, x - \bar{x} \rangle = \langle v, x - \bar{x} \rangle + 0 \cdot (f(x) - f(\bar{x})) \leq 0$$

which show that $v \in N(\bar{x}; \text{dom } f)$.

Conversely: Suppose that $v \in N(\bar{x}; \text{dom } f)$ and fix any $(x, \lambda) \in \text{epi } f$. Then we have $f(x) \leq \lambda$ and so $x \in \text{dom } f$.

$$\text{Thus } \langle v, x - \bar{x} \rangle + 0 \cdot (\lambda - f(\bar{x})) = \langle v, x - \bar{x} \rangle \leq 0$$

which implies that

$$(v, 0) \in N(\bar{x}; f(\bar{x}); \text{epi } f)$$

i.e. $v \in \partial f(x)$

§ (a) Define a subgradient of a convex function. Use the definition of subgradient to determine the subdifferential of convex function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -x & x < 0 \\ x^2 & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

at the points -1 and 0.

Sol. Def. $\langle v, x - \bar{x} \rangle \leq f(x) - f(\bar{x}) \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n, \bar{x} \in \text{dom} f, \forall \mathbb{R}^n, f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$



At $\bar{x} = -1$!

$$f(x) \geq 1 + v(x+1) \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow -x \geq 1 + v(x+1), \quad x < 0$$

$$x^2 \geq 1 + v(x+1), \quad x \geq 0$$

Setting for example $x = -2$ and $x = -0.5$

we obtain

$$v \geq -1 \quad \& \quad v \leq -1$$

Hence $v = -1$ is the unique solution of the system

$2 \geq 1 - v \Rightarrow v \geq -1$	$4 \geq 1 - v +$
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At $\bar{x} = 0$!

$$f(x) \geq vx \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$$

or

$$-x \geq vx, \quad x < 0$$

$$x^2 \geq vx, \quad x \geq 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow -v \leq +1, \quad x < 0$$

$$x \geq v, \quad x > 0$$

$$\text{or } v \geq -1$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{-1 \leq v \leq 0}$$

3) ~~Let~~ Define the directional derivative of an extended scalar function at a fixed point. Use the definition of directional derivative to determine $\partial f(0)$, where

$$f(x_1, x_2) = |x_1| + x_2^2$$

$$\forall v \in \partial f(\bar{x}), \quad f'(\bar{x}; d) \geq \langle v, d \rangle$$

$$f'(\bar{x}; d) = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(\bar{x} + td) - f(\bar{x})}{t}$$

$$\bar{x} = (0, 0), \quad d = (d_1, d_2)$$

$$f'(\bar{x}; d) = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{|td_1| + (td_2)^2}{t}$$

$$0, \quad \lim_{t \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{td_1 + t^2 d_2^2}{t} = d_1 \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} d_1 < 0 \\ \lim_{t \rightarrow 0^-} \frac{-td_1 + t^2 d_2^2}{t} = -d_1 \end{array} \right.$$

Now if $d_1 > 0, d_2 = 0$

$$\text{then } f'(0; d) \geq \langle v, d \rangle$$

$$d_1 \geq v_1 d_1$$

$$\Rightarrow v_1 \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow v_1 \geq -1$$

$$\text{if } d_1 < 0, d_2 = 0 : -d_1 \geq v_1 d_1$$

$$\boxed{-1 \leq v_1 \leq 1}$$

$$\text{If } d_1 = 0, d_2 = 1 \quad ; \quad f'(0; d) \geq v_1 d_1 + v_2 d_2$$

$$0 \geq v_1(0) + v_2 \Rightarrow v_2 \leq 0$$

$$\text{If } d_1 = 0, d_2 = -1 \quad ; \quad 0 \geq v_1(0) + v_2(-1)$$

$$0 \geq -v_2 \Rightarrow v_2 \geq 0$$

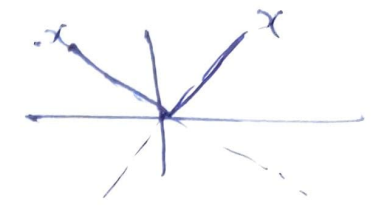
$$\boxed{v_2 = 0}$$

$$\text{Ans : } v_2 = 0, \quad -1 \leq v_1 \leq 1$$

(E) Let $f_1(x) = -x$ and $f_2(x) = x$, $x \in \mathbb{R}$. Use the result $\partial(\max f_i)(\bar{x}) = \text{Co} \bigcup_{i \in I(\bar{x})} \partial f_i(\bar{x})$, $i=1, 2$ (f_1, f_2 are convex) to compute $\partial f(0)$.

Sol:

$$f(x) = \max \{ f_1(x), f_2(x) \} = |x|, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}$$



At $\bar{x} = 0$: $f_1(\bar{x}) = 0$ and $f_2(\bar{x}) = 0$

$$f(0) = \max(0, 0) = 0$$

$$I(\bar{x}) = \{1, 2\}$$

$$\partial f_1(\bar{x}) = \{-1\}$$

$$\partial f_2(\bar{x}) = \{1\}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \partial f(\bar{x}) &= \partial(\max(f_1, f_2)) = \text{Co} \{ \partial f_1(\bar{x}) \cup \partial f_2(\bar{x}) \} \\ &= \text{Co} \{-1, 1\} \\ &= [-1, 1] \end{aligned}$$

OR

extended real valued function

at a point, then show that

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c) Let $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \bar{\mathbb{R}}$ be a function and let $\bar{x} \in \text{int}(\text{dom} f)$. Gateaux derivative of f at \bar{x} is denoted by $f'_G(\bar{x})$ and defined as

$$\langle f'_G(\bar{x}; d), d \rangle = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(\bar{x} + td) - f(\bar{x})}{t}$$

Suppose f is Gateaux diff. at \bar{x} . Let $v = f'_G(\bar{x})$. Then

$$f'(\bar{x}; d) = \langle v, d \rangle = f'_G(\bar{x}; d) \quad \forall d \in \mathbb{R}^n \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

For any $w \in \partial f(\bar{x})$, Then

$$f'(\bar{x}; d) \leq \langle w, d \rangle \leq f'(\bar{x}; d) \quad \forall d \in \mathbb{R}^n \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

~~(1) & (2) \Rightarrow~~

$$\langle w, d \rangle = \langle v, d \rangle \quad \forall d \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$\langle w - v, d \rangle = 0 \quad \forall d \in \mathbb{R}^n \quad (d \neq 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow w - v = 0$$

$$\text{or } w = v = f'_G(\bar{x})$$

$$\text{Therefore } \partial f(\bar{x}) = \left\{ f'_G(\bar{x}) \right\}$$

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0.6 (pts) Define Fenchel conjugate of an extended real valued function. Compute the Fenchel conjugate of

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^p}{p} & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ \infty & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases} \quad x \in \mathbb{R}, p \in \mathbb{R}, p > 1$$

Sol: $f^*(v) = \sup \{ vx - f(x) : x \in \mathbb{R} \}$
 $= \sup \{ vx - f(x) : x \in \text{dom} f = [0, \infty) \}$
 $= \sup \{ vx - \frac{x^p}{p} : x \geq 0 \}$

Let $\gamma(x) = vx - \frac{x^p}{p} \quad (v \in \mathbb{R})$
 $\gamma'(x) = v - x^{p-1}, \quad \gamma'(x) = 0 \text{ if } x^{p-1} = v$

(i) $v \geq 0$: Solving $\gamma'(x) = 0$ gives $x = v^{\frac{1}{p-1}}$

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma(v^{\frac{1}{p-1}}) &= v \cdot v^{\frac{1}{p-1}} - \frac{(v^{\frac{1}{p-1}})^p}{p} \\ &= (1 - \frac{1}{p}) v^{\frac{p}{p-1}} = (1 - \frac{1}{p}) v^{\frac{1}{1-\frac{1}{p}}} \end{aligned}$$

x	0	$v^{\frac{1}{p-1}}$	∞
γ	+	0	-
		↑	↓
		$1 + \frac{1}{p-1} = \frac{p}{p-1}$	

Let $q > 1$ be defined by $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$.

Then $\gamma(v^{\frac{1}{p-1}}) = \frac{1}{q} v^q$

$$f^*(v) = \frac{1}{q} v^q$$

(ii) $v < 0$: $f^*(v) = \sup \{ vx - \frac{x^p}{p} : x \geq 0 \} \leq 0$
 $= 0$

$$f^*(v) = \begin{cases} \frac{v^q}{q} & \text{if } v \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } v < 0 \end{cases}$$

Q.7 (3+7): Dual cone: Let $\Omega \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$ be a cone.

A dual cone of Ω is the following set

$$\Omega^\circ = \{p : p^t x \geq 0 \quad \forall x \in \Omega\}$$

A polar cone of Ω is the following set $\Omega^* = \{p : p^t x \leq 0, \forall x \in \Omega\}$

Tangent cone: Let $\bar{x} \in \Omega$, Tangent cone of Ω at \bar{x} denoted by $T(\bar{x}, \Omega)$ or $T_\Omega(\bar{x})$ is defined as follows

$$T_\Omega(\bar{x}) = \text{closure of feasible direction at } \bar{x} = \text{closure}(F_\Omega(\bar{x}))$$

(b) Let $v \in N_\Omega(\bar{x})$. Then for any $d \in F_\Omega(\bar{x})$, there exists $\epsilon > 0$ such that $\bar{x} + \epsilon d \in \Omega$. Hence

$$\langle v, d \rangle = \frac{1}{\epsilon} \langle v, \bar{x} + \epsilon d - \bar{x} \rangle \leq 0.$$

For any $d \in T_\Omega(\bar{x})$, there exists a sequence d_n such that $d_n \in F_\Omega(\bar{x})$ and $d_n \rightarrow \hat{d}$.

As $\langle v, d_n \rangle \leq 0$, we have $\langle v, \hat{d} \rangle \leq 0$ which implies $v \in (T_\Omega(\bar{x}))^*$ i.e. $N_\Omega(\bar{x}) \subseteq (T_\Omega(\bar{x}))^*$.

On the other hand,

let $v \in (T_\Omega(\bar{x}))^*$. Then $\langle v, d \rangle \leq 0 \quad \forall d \in T_\Omega(\bar{x})$.

For any $x \in \Omega$, ~~and $\alpha > 0$~~ because Ω is convex set, there exists $d \in T_\Omega(\bar{x})$ and $\alpha > 0$ such that $x = \bar{x} + \alpha d$.

Hence we have

$$\langle v, x - \bar{x} \rangle = \langle v, \alpha d \rangle = \alpha \langle v, d \rangle \leq 0$$

Thus $v \in N_\Omega(\bar{x})$ i.e. $(T_\Omega(\bar{x}))^* \subseteq N_\Omega(\bar{x})$.

OR

(b) We know that $N(\bar{x}; \Omega_1 \cap \Omega_2) = N(\bar{x}; \Omega_1) + N(\bar{x}; \Omega_2)$

and $T(\bar{x}; \Omega) = (N(\bar{x}, \Omega))^*$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } T(\bar{x}; \Omega_1 \cap \Omega_2) &= [N(\bar{x}; \Omega_1 \cap \Omega_2)]^* \\ &= [N(\bar{x}; \Omega_1) + N(\bar{x}; \Omega_2)]^* \\ &= N(\bar{x}; \Omega_1)^* \cap N(\bar{x}; \Omega_2)^* \quad (\text{by prop}) \\ &= T(\bar{x}; \Omega_1) \cap T(\bar{x}; \Omega_2). \end{aligned}$$

(b) ~~State the Slater constraint qualification.~~

(c) ~~State the Karush-Kuhn-Tucker necessary conditions for a general nonlinear programming problem. Determine all solutions of the KKT conditions for the following problem.~~

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Max } & (x_1+2)^2 + (x_2-1)^2 \\ \text{s.t. } & -x_1+x_2-2 \leq 0 \\ & x_1^2-x_2 \leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Sol.
$$\begin{pmatrix} -2(x_1+2) \\ -2(x_2-1) \end{pmatrix} + \lambda_1 \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda_2 \begin{pmatrix} 2x_1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

or
$$\begin{aligned} -2x_1 - 4 - \lambda_1 + 2\lambda_2 x_1 &= 0 \\ -2x_2 + 2 + \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 &= 0 \\ \lambda_1(-x_1+x_2-2) &= 0 \\ \lambda_2(x_1^2-x_2) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$-x_1-x_2-2 \leq 0, x_1^2-x_2 \leq 0, \lambda_1, \lambda_2 \geq 0$$

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(i) $\lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = 0$:

$$\begin{aligned} -2x_1 - 4 &= 0 \\ -2x_2 - 2 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow (x_1, x_2) = (-2, 1)$

$(-2, 1)$ does not satisfy ②

or $(-2, 1)$ is not a feasible point

(ii) $\lambda_1 = 0, \lambda_2 > 0$:

$$\begin{aligned} -2x_1 - 4 + 2\lambda_2 x_1 &= 0 \quad \text{--- } \textcircled{*} \\ -2x_2 + 2 - \lambda_2 &= 0 \\ x_1^2 &= x_2 \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow x_2 = 2 - 2x_2$
 $= 2(1-x_1^2)$

Substituting λ_2 in $\textcircled{*}$, we get

$$x_1^3 = \frac{x_1}{2} - 1 \quad \text{--- } \textcircled{**}$$

only real solution $x_1 < -1$ satisfies $\textcircled{**}$

we get $\lambda_2 < 0$

contradicts

(iii) $\lambda_1 > 0, \lambda_2 = 0$:

$$\begin{aligned} -2x_1 - 4 - \lambda_1 &= 0 \\ -2x_1 + 2 + \lambda_1 &= 0 \\ -x_1 + x_2 - 2 &= 0, \\ x_1^2 - x_2 &\leq 0 \\ \lambda_1 &> 0 \end{aligned}$$

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unique solution $x_1 = -\frac{3}{2}, x_2 = \frac{1}{2}, \lambda_1 = -1$

does not satisfy ③

(iv) $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 > 0$:

$$\begin{aligned} -2x_1 - 4 - \lambda_1 + 2\lambda_2 x_1 &= 0 \\ -2x_2 + 2 + \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 &= 0 \\ -x_1 + x_2 &= 2 \\ x_1^2 &= x_2 \\ \lambda_1, \lambda_2 &> 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + x_1^2 &= 2 \\ x_1(1+x_1) &= 2 \\ x_1 &= 2 \text{ or } x_1 = -1 \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow x_1 = 2$ and $x_2 = 4$
or $x_1 = -1$ and $x_2 = 1$

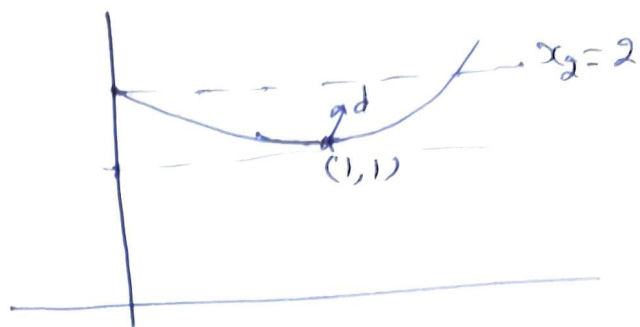
For $x_1 = -1, x_2 = 1$, we get $\lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = -\frac{2}{3}$ (Not satisfied)
 $x_1 = 2, x_2 = 4, \lambda_1 = \frac{32}{3}, \lambda_2 = \frac{14}{3}$

$(x_1, x_2) = (2, 4)$

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$$S = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^2 : x_2 - 2 \leq 0, 1 + (x_1 - 1)^2 - x_2 \leq 0\}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{x} + \lambda d &= (1, 1) + \lambda(d_1, d_2) \\ &= (1 + \lambda d_1, 1 + \lambda d_2)\end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}x_2 - 2 \leq 0 &\Rightarrow 1 + \lambda d_2 - 2 \leq 0 \\ &\Rightarrow \lambda d_2 \leq 1.\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}1 + (x_1 - 1)^2 - x_2 \leq 0 &\Rightarrow 1 + (1 + \lambda d_1 - 1)^2 - 1 - \lambda d_2 \leq 0 \\ &\Rightarrow \lambda^2 d_1^2 - \lambda d_2 \leq 0 \\ &\Rightarrow d_2 \geq \lambda d_1^2\end{aligned}$$

$$F_D(1, 1) = \{d \in \mathbb{R}^2 : d_2 > 0\}$$

$$d_2 > 0, d_j \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$$