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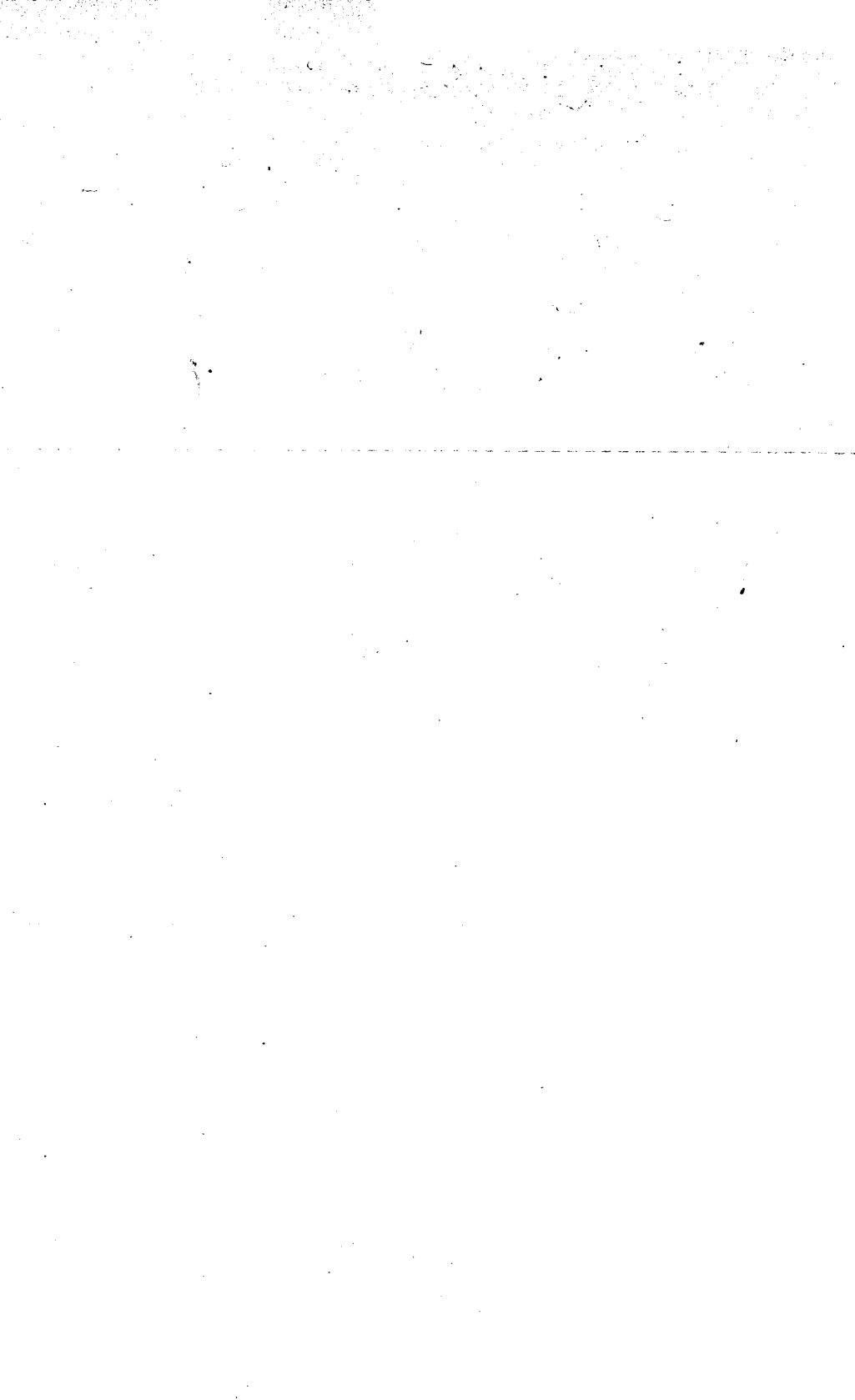
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INTRODUCTION

A great deal of problems occurring in applied mathematics may be reduced to the search of a local minimum.

Different methods have been developed that can be classified in three ways, each having its advantages and drawbacks.

a) The gradient methods in general converge very fast in the first iterations but fail in the precise location of the minimum. On the other hand, the fact that the time to compute the function and its gradient at each iteration, is less than with the other methods, where second-order information must be computed, permits a greater number of iterations.

Usually, the gradient methods become less efficient as the number of variables N increases and the number of iterations, in order to have some required precision, is proportional to N .

b) Relaxation or overrelaxation methods may be used in some minimization problems with the property that the matrix of the second-order derivatives (Hessian) is a positive definite band matrix. Being more precise, they have the same general features as the gradient methods.

c) The classical second-order method is the Newton-Raphson (N-R) method, which is much more powerful than the gradient methods. Its advantage is that the efficiency increases in the vicinity of the minimum and that convergence is obtained in a number of steps independent of N .

There are, however, strong limitations to its normal use:

1. As N is large, the computer volume to store the Hessian \hat{H} and to use this information, must increase with N^2 ;
2. The inversion time of \hat{H} (roughly proportional to N^3) may become too big with respect to the computation time of the function f , the gradient \vec{g} and the Hessian \hat{H} .

These facts may counterbalance the advantage one hopes to derive from the N-R method.

The strongest limitation of the usual N-R method is that \hat{H} needs to be positive definite, otherwise convergence may be achieved towards a stationary point, which not necessarily coincides with the searched local minimum. The aim of the new method presented here, is to by-pass this drawback using a modification of the N-R method.

The modified N-R method [1] , developed by Fiacco and McCormick and described in section A, solves this problem in that, using directions corresponding to negative eigenvalues, it converges to the zone of positive definiteness of the Hessian \hat{H} , where the usual N-R method very rapidly finds the local minimum. The general strategy set up in section B is the basis for a new computer procedure that is fully described in sections C, D, E and F. Some examples are given in section G.

A. The Modified Newton-Raphson Method

The method is based on the factorization of the Hessian \hat{H} in:

$$\hat{H} = \hat{L} \cdot \hat{D} \cdot \hat{L}^T \quad (1)$$

where \hat{L} is a lower triangular matrix with the elements on the main diagonal equal to 1, \hat{D} is a pure diagonal matrix and \hat{L}^T is the transpose of \hat{L} .

From (1) several elementary properties may be deduced:

- (a) \hat{H} is a symmetric matrix and the factorization is unambiguous in that there

are as many unknowns as different elements in \hat{H} . Denoting the elements of \hat{L} by l_{ij} and the diagonal elements of \hat{D} by d_i , the first index denoting the column and the second the row, both running from 1 to N, one has a priori:

$$\hat{L} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ & 1 & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ & & l_{ij} & 1 & 0 & \dots \\ & & & & 1 & \\ & & & & & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$h_{ij} = h_{ji}$$

$$l_{ij} = 0 \quad \text{for } i > j$$

$$l_{ij} = 1 \quad \text{for } i = j$$

Formally it may easily be derived that:

$$d_i = h_{ii} - \sum_{k=1}^{i-1} d_k \cdot l_{ki}^2 \tag{2}$$

and supposing that none of the d_i 's is zero:

$$l_{ij} = \frac{1}{d_i} \left(h_{ij} - \sum_{k=1}^{i-1} d_k \cdot l_{ki} \cdot l_{kj} \right) \quad i < j \tag{3}$$

Obviously, the sums have to be understood empty for $i = 1$. A necessary and sufficient condition that factorization (1) be possible is that none of the d_i 's vanishes, i. e. none of the principal minors of \hat{H} may be zero [2]. From now on it will be understood that this condition always is fulfilled.

(b) Denoting the eigenvalues of \hat{H} by λ_i , one has:

$$\prod_{i=1}^N \lambda_i = \det(\hat{H}) = \det(\hat{L}) \cdot \det(\hat{D}) \cdot \det(\hat{L}^T) = \det(\hat{D}) = \prod_{i=1}^N d_i \tag{4}$$

Thus, if none of the λ_i 's is zero, none of the d_i 's will be zero and vice versa.

(c) A necessary and sufficient condition that \hat{H} be positive definite is that all elements of \hat{D} in factorization (1) be positive. Indeed, then and only then \hat{D}

may be written as $\widehat{D}^{1/2} \cdot \widehat{D}^{1/2}$ where $\widehat{D}^{1/2}$ is a diagonal matrix consisting of the elements $\sqrt{d_i}$. Factorization (1) takes the Choleski form:

$$\widehat{H} = \widehat{L}^* \cdot \widehat{L}^{*T},$$

where $\widehat{L}^* = \widehat{L} \cdot \widehat{D}^{1/2}$, i. e. a necessary and sufficient condition that \widehat{H} be positive definite.

As said in the introduction, the modified N-R method is used when \widehat{H} is not positive definite. Some of the d_i 's thus are less than zero, and it is always possible to build up a non-zero vector \vec{a} consisting of elements zero or one depending on whether the corresponding element d_i is positive or not.

All variables of the function f may be gathered together into a vector \vec{x} . Let \vec{x}_0 be the initial point of the iteration step. The information of the previous iteration contains the function value $f(\vec{x}_0)$, the gradient vector $\vec{g}(\vec{x}_0)$ and the Hessian $\widehat{H}(\vec{x}_0)$. In order to get a better guess of the local minimum, a direction \vec{s} must be chosen in which the function is minimized. The one-dimensional problem to find the good λ that minimizes $f(\vec{x}_0 + \lambda \vec{s})$ is treated in section B.

The modified N-R method consists in finding a direction \vec{s} such that:

$$\frac{d}{d\lambda} \left[f(\vec{x}_0) + \lambda \vec{s} \right]_{\lambda=0} = (\vec{g}(\vec{x}_0), \vec{s}) < 0 \quad (5)$$

and

$$\frac{d^2}{d\lambda^2} \left[f(\vec{x}_0 + \lambda \vec{s}) \right]_{\lambda=0} = (\vec{s}, \widehat{H}(\vec{x}_0) \vec{s}) < 0 \quad (6)$$

This may be achieved when not all d_i 's are positive. Indeed, define the vector \vec{a} when the elements a_i are 0 or 1 depending whether the corresponding d_i is positive or negative respectively; then construct the vector

$$\vec{t} = (\widehat{L}^T)^{-1} \cdot \vec{a} \quad (7)$$

and compute $(\vec{g}(\vec{x}_0), \vec{t})$. If this is positive, take $\vec{s} = \vec{t}$, if negative, take

$\vec{s} = +\vec{t}$. So in any case \vec{s} is found satisfying (5).

Regarding condition (6), an important lemma may be derived:

$$(\vec{s}, \hat{H}(\vec{x}_0)\vec{s}) = \text{sum of the negative } d_i \text{'s} \quad (8)$$

and thus itself negative satisfying (6). Indeed:

$$\begin{aligned} (\vec{s}, \hat{H}(\vec{x}_0)\vec{s}) &= (\vec{t}, \hat{H}(\vec{x}_0)\vec{t}) = \left[\widehat{(L^T)^{-1} \vec{a}}, \widehat{L \cdot D \cdot L^T \cdot (L^T)^{-1} \vec{a}} \right] \\ &= \left[\widehat{(L^{-1})^T \vec{a}}, \widehat{L \cdot D \cdot \vec{a}} \right] \\ &= \left[\vec{a}, \widehat{L^{-1} \cdot L \cdot D \cdot \vec{a}} \right] \\ &= \left[\vec{a}, \widehat{D \vec{a}} \right] = \text{sum of the negative } d_i \text{'s} \end{aligned}$$

From \vec{x}_0 on in the direction \vec{s} , the function not only decreases but the curvature is negative too. Unless this curvature does not change sign, the function value becomes $-\infty$. In this case the local minimum in the N-dimensional space is found within the iteration step itself. Normally, the curvature changes sign and there is a one-dimensional local minimum in the \vec{s} direction. Each iteration with the modified N-R method finds out a direction along which the curvature is turned over from negative to positive. This method provides thus a tool to locate a region where the Hessian \hat{H} is positive definite and where the usual N-R method finds the corresponding local minimum in an optimized way.

B. The Minimizing Strategy

Having a point \vec{x}_0 , each iteration chooses a direction \vec{s} minimizing the function $f(\vec{x}_0 + \lambda \vec{s})$ for some positive λ_{\min} . The problem is split up in two parts: (1) to choose \vec{s} and (2) to find λ_{\min} .

1. The Direction \vec{s} .

If \hat{H} is positive definite at \vec{x}_0 , the usual N-R method is used and

$$\vec{s} = -\hat{H}^{-1}(\vec{x}_0) \cdot \vec{g}(\vec{x}_0) \quad (9)$$

If \hat{H} is not positive definite at \vec{x}_0 , a choice is made between the steepest des-

cent method and the modified N-R method. In the first few iterations, experience has shown that the steepest descent makes considerable progress in lowering the function value. In that case simply:

$$\vec{s} = -\vec{g}(\vec{x}_0) \quad (10)$$

When the number of iterations increases, the first order methods stop their efficiency and (always if \hat{H} is not positive definite) the modified N-R method is used. \vec{s} is then defined as in section A.

2. The Minimizing λ .

Roughly the same method is used as that of R. Fletcher and C. M. Reeves [3].

At first, an estimate for λ_{\min} is to be found. This will be dependent on how the direction \vec{s} has been chosen. It must be remarked that in each of the three cases:

$$\frac{d}{d\lambda} \left[f(\vec{x}_0 + \lambda \vec{s}) \right]_{\lambda=0} = (\vec{g}(\vec{x}_0), \vec{s}) < 0 \quad (11)$$

Indeed: - for the modified N-R method, this is already proven (see (5));

- for the usual N-R method: $\hat{H}(\vec{x}_0)\vec{s} = -\vec{g}(\vec{x}_0)$ and

$(\vec{g}(\vec{x}_0), \vec{s}) = -(\vec{s}, \hat{H}(\vec{x}_0)\vec{s}) < 0$ for then $\hat{H}(\vec{x}_0)$ is positive definite;

- for the steepest descent method obviously: $(\vec{g}(\vec{x}_0), \vec{s}) = -\left| \vec{g}(\vec{x}_0) \right|^2 < 0$.

This proves (11) in a general way with the conclusion that λ_{\min} must be positive.

When $(\vec{s}, \hat{H}(\vec{x}_0)\vec{s})$ is positive, the function $f(\vec{x}_0 + \lambda \vec{s})$ may be approximated by its Taylor series truncated after the λ^2 -term. The minimum estimate is then:

$$\lambda_{\text{est}} = - \frac{(\vec{g}(\vec{x}_0), \vec{s})}{(\vec{s}, \hat{H}(\vec{x}_0)\vec{s})}$$

When $(\vec{s}, \hat{H}(\vec{x}_0)\vec{s})$ is negative, having no third order information of $f(\vec{x}_0 + \lambda \vec{s})$

at $\lambda = 0$, the supposition is made that $f(\vec{x}_0 + \lambda \vec{s})$ becomes $-\infty$ for some λ . The function is then approximated by the form: $A \log(\lambda_{est} - \lambda) + B$, having in second order contact at $\lambda = 0$.

It is easily proved that $\lambda_{est} = + \frac{(\vec{g}(\vec{x}_0), \vec{s})}{(\vec{s}, \hat{H}(\vec{x}_0) \vec{s})}$ ^{o)}.

In both cases λ_{est} satisfies thus:

$$\lambda_{est} = - \frac{(\vec{g}(\vec{x}_0), \vec{s})}{(\vec{s}, \hat{H}(\vec{x}_0) \vec{s})} \quad (12)$$

In a second step the bounds λ_a and λ_b on λ_{min} are sought. The function and the gradient are calculated successively at the points $\vec{x}_0 + i \lambda_{est} \vec{s}$ for $i = 1, 2, 4, 8, \dots$ till a function value is found greater than that in the preceding point or, till the derivative of the function in the \vec{s} -direction no longer is negative. The upper bound λ_b is then taken to be this last $i \lambda_{est}$ -value while the least bound λ_a corresponds with the preceding $i \lambda_{est}$ -value.

In the third step, a cubic interpolation (Davidon) is made localizing λ_{min} between λ_a and λ_b . Denoting $f(\vec{x}_0 + \lambda_a \vec{s})$ and $f(\vec{x}_0 + \lambda_b \vec{s})$ respectively by f_a and f_b and the derivatives of f along \vec{s} in these points by g_a and g_b , one defines:

$$z = 3 \frac{f_a - f_b}{\lambda_a - \lambda_b} + g_a + g_b \quad (14)$$

and

$$w = [z^2 - g_a \cdot g_b]^{1/2} \quad (15)$$

The minimum is then approximated by:

^{o)} Taking e. g. a hyperbola $\frac{A}{\lambda - \lambda_{est}} + B$, one has

$$\lambda_{est} = 2 \frac{(\vec{g}(\vec{x}_0), \vec{s})}{(\vec{s}, \hat{H}(\vec{x}_0) \vec{s})} \text{ finding the same order of magnitude.}$$

$$\lambda_{\min} = \lambda_b - \frac{(g_b + w - z)(\lambda_b - \lambda_a)}{(g_b - g_a + 2w)} \quad (16)$$

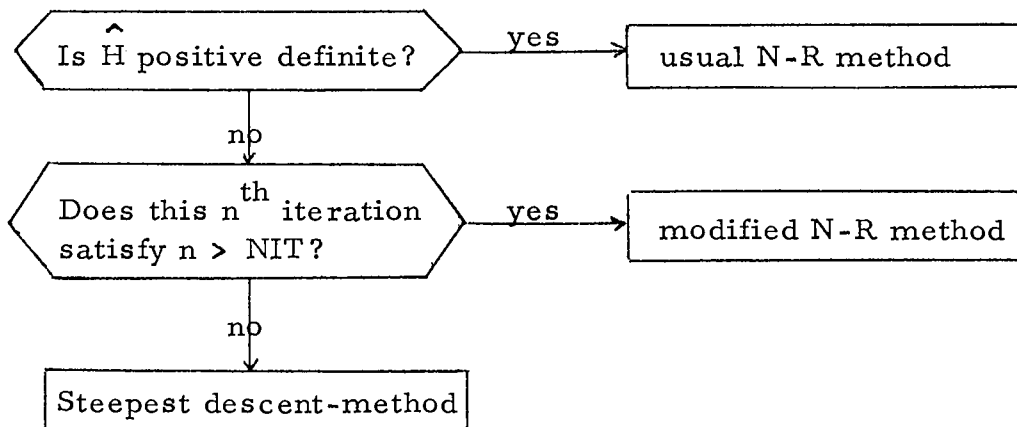
At the point $(\vec{x}_0 + \lambda_{\min} \vec{s})$, the function f_m is calculated as well as the gradient g_m and the Hessian \hat{H}_m .

If $f_m > f_a$ then λ_{\min} is taken for λ_b and the interpolation is repeated; otherwise one asks if $f_m > f_b$. If true, λ_{\min} is taken for λ_a and the interpolation is repeated. If not, λ_{\min} is taken as the minimizing λ . The point $(\vec{x}_0 + \lambda_{\min} \vec{s})$ and the information contained in f_m , g_m and \hat{H}_m is used to start the next iteration. Usually only one interpolation has to be made, seldom two.

The remark must be made that when $\hat{H}(\vec{x}_0)$ is positive definite, $\lambda_{\text{est}} = +1$ for \vec{s} satisfies (9). Unless $f(\vec{x}_0 + \vec{s})$ is not greater than $f(\vec{x}_0)$, no interpolation must be made in this case, in order to insure convergence in the final iteration steps.

C. General Description of the MINIM-Subroutine

The programme, called MINIM, is an iterative subroutine that minimizes a function of many variables. At each iteration a guess of the minimum is available and a choice is made between 3 strategies, according to the following scheme:



As mentioned in section B, the steepest descent method is usually very effi-

cient in localizing roughly the minimum but fails in its precise determination. The number NIT varies from problem to problem and must therefore be provided by the user. When \hat{H} is positive definite, however, the most efficient usual N-R method is used at once.

Convergence is proposed if some of the criteria A, B, C or D are satisfied, where:

A means: the number of iterations exceeds IMAX

B means: $\Delta \vec{x} = \left| \vec{x}_{\text{new}} - \vec{x}_{\text{old}} \right| < \text{EPSX}$

C means: $\left| f(\vec{x}_{\text{new}}) - f(\vec{x}_{\text{old}}) \right| < \text{EPSF}$

D means: $\left| \vec{g}(\vec{x}_{\text{new}}) \right| \leq \text{EPSP}$

Obviously, only criterion D satisfies the definition of a local minimum (the extremum is a minimum because \hat{H} is positive definite there) and the user should try to adjust the parameters IMAX, EPSX, EPSF and EPSP to his problem so that the RETURN statement is caused by criterion D. The other criteria are to be considered as security switches. It may happen that the user cannot supply one or more of these parameters. If so, the parameter should be given a value ≤ 0 , then it will be adjusted (only on input not on return) to a standard value. These standard values are 10^{-8} for EPSX, EPSF, EPSP and 40 for IMAX. Furthermore, if NIT < 0 , it is adjusted to the standard NIT = $\sqrt[3]{2N}$, where N is the number of variables in the function to be minimized. These assigned standard values have been shown to be adequate for most problems.

The listing of MINIM is shown in Appendix 1.

D. Calling Sequence of MINIM with Some Remarks

SUBROUTINE MINIM (FUN, FM, X, G, H, N, M, IRIT, EPSF, EPSX, EPSP, IMAX, NIT)

FUN - Name of function to be minimized. In the calling programme this name must be defined by an EXTERNAL statement.

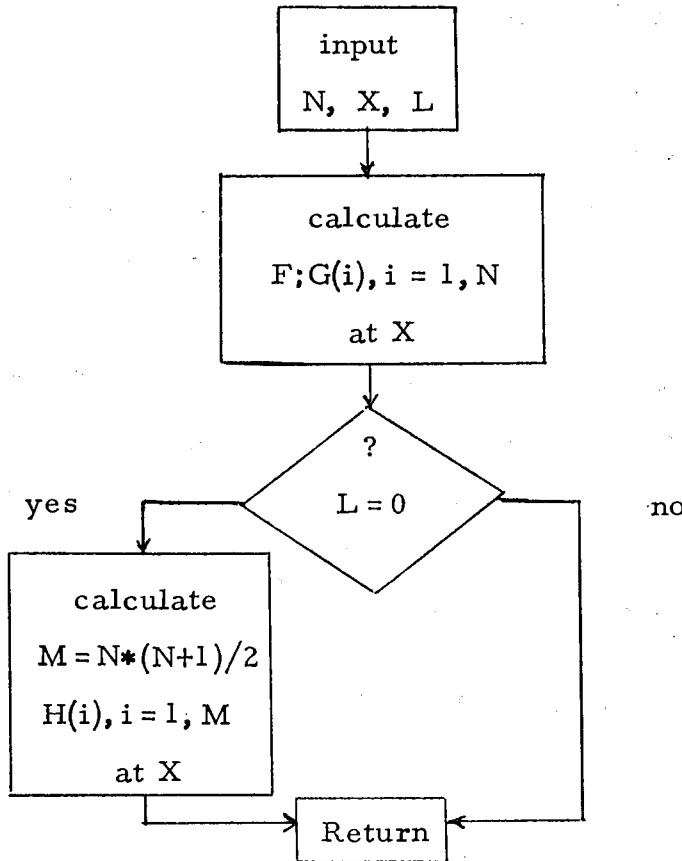
- FM - Function value of the minimum estimate of the last iteration before return.
- X - Vector of independent variables: initial minimum guess on input and final minimum estimate before return. X is input data to "FUN".
- G - Vector containing the gradient at X. G must be calculated by "FUN".
- H - Vector containing the second order partial derivatives (Hessian) at X. H must be calculated by "FUN". Since the symmetric matrix \hat{H} is stored in lower triangular mode, care must be taken for correct indexing.
- $H(1) = H_{1,1}; H(2) = H_{1,2} = H_{2,1}; H(3) = H_{2,2}; H(4) = H_{3,1} = H_{1,3};$
 $H(5) = H_{3,2} = H_{2,3}; H(6) = H_{3,3}; H(7) = H_{1,4},$ etc.
- N - Number of independent variables of the function (dimension of X and G).
- M - Number of independent elements of \hat{H} . Dimension of H; this must always be equal to $N*(N+1)/2$ and calculated in the calling programme.
- IRIT - Output printing option, must have values 0, 1, 2, or 3. See output description.
- EPSF - Desired absolute accuracy in function values of succeeding minimum estimates.
- EPSX - Desired absolute accuracy in the independent variables vector.
- EPHG - Desired absolute accuracy in the gradient norm.
- IMAX - Maximum number of iterations.
- NIT - Maximum number of steepest descent method iterations.

E. Calling Sequence of "FUN"

SUBROUTINE NAME (N, X, F, G, H, L) where NAME is the name of the function assigned to FUN in MINIM and specified in the programme that calls MINIM. This subroutine must be made by the programmer; it should produce for a given X with dimension N; the function value F, the gradient G and the Hessian H. The matrix \hat{H} must be stored in the same way as described in section D. Since the evaluation of \hat{H} is the most time-consuming and not al-

ways required by the calling MINIM, a signal is transferred from MINIM to NAME. This is done by the switch L. If $L = 0$, \hat{H} must be computed in NAME; if $L \neq 0$, not.

NAME has thus to be constructed in the following way:



F. Output Given by MINIM

- IRIT = 0 No output at all except error messages.
- IRIT = 1 At every iteration a list is printed out of the essential data to control the flow of the procedure. This list contains:
- 1) EPSX, EPSF, EPSG, IMAX, NIT. These parameters are only printed as heading at every page.
 - 2) EXTERNAL SUB ITR and INTERNAL SUB ITR are indications how λ_a and λ_b were found in minimizing $f(\vec{x}_0 + \lambda \vec{s})$.
 - 3) NEG-D. Number of negative values in \hat{D} -matrix. (If zero, \hat{H} is positive definite).
 - 4) F(OLD) and F(NEW) are respectively $f(\vec{x}_{old})$ and $f(\vec{x}_{new})$.

- 5) G* S is $(\vec{g}(\vec{x}_{\text{new}}), \vec{s})$
 S* H* S is $(\vec{s}, \hat{H}(\vec{x}_{\text{new}}) \vec{s})$
 G* H* G is $(\vec{g}(\vec{x}_{\text{new}}), \hat{H} \vec{g}(\vec{x}_{\text{new}}))$
 GNØRM is $\left| \vec{g}(\vec{x}_{\text{new}}) \right|$
 SNØRM is $\left| \vec{s} \right|$
 6) DAX is $\left| \vec{x}_{\text{new}} - \vec{x}_{\text{old}} \right| = \left| \Delta \vec{x} \right|$
 7) D(LØW) is the most negative element in \hat{D}
 D(SML) is the smallest absolute element in \hat{D}
 8) LAMBDA is the minimizing λ .

IRIT = 2 In addition to the described output, a list is given of XOLD containing \vec{x}_{old} and XNEW containing \vec{x}_{new} .

IRIT = 3 This option is mainly for testing purposes. It produces also a list of G, S and D containing respectively the elements of $\vec{g}(\vec{x}_{\text{new}})$, \vec{s} and the diagonal of \hat{D} .

An example of an output with IRIT = 2 may be found in Appendix 2.

G. Some Examples

1) Tests have been made with the function of R. Fletcher and M. J. D. Powell [4]:

$$f(\vec{\alpha}) = \sum_{i=1}^n \left[E_i - \sum_{j=1}^n (A_{ij} \sin \alpha_j + B_{ij} \cos \alpha_j) \right]^2 \quad (17)$$

where the A_{ij} 's and the B_{ij} 's are fixed randomly between -100 and +100. Numbers α_j^M were then generated randomly between $-\pi$ and $+\pi$ after which the E_i 's were computed by:

$$E_i = \sum_{j=1}^n (A_{ij} \sin \alpha_j^M + B_{ij} \cos \alpha_j^M) \quad (18)$$

The minimum of $f(\vec{\alpha})$ lies at $\vec{\alpha}^M$ where the function is zero.

Starting with $\vec{\alpha} = \vec{\alpha}^M + 0.1\vec{\delta}$, where the numbers δ_i are randomly distributed between $-\pi$ and $+\pi$, the programme MINIM finds the minimum at $\vec{\alpha}^M$. This has been successfully tested for the cases $n = 2, 5, 10, 40$; the number of iterations required to get $\left| \vec{g}(\vec{\alpha}) \right| < 10^{-8}$ being respectively 5, 7, 7, 16. This shows the main advantage of second order methods where the number of required iterations is almost independent of the number of variables. For an output example of MINIM one is referred to Appendix 2.

Other satisfactory tests have been made on the banana-shaped Rosenbrock's function [5]:

$$f(\vec{x}) = 100 (x_2 - x_1^2)^2 + (1 - x_1)^2 \quad (19)$$

Starting at $\vec{x} = (x_1, x_2) = (-1.2, 1)$. The minimum at point (1, 1) is reached in 20 normal N-R iterations.

2) The function of C. F. Wood, cited in [1]:

$$f(\vec{x}) = 100 (x_2 - x_1^2)^2 + (1 - x_1)^2 + 90(x_4 - x_3^2)^2 + (1 - x_3^2) + 10.1 \left[(x_2 - 1)^2 + (x_1 - 1)^2 \right] + 19.8(x_2 - 1)(x_4 - 1) \quad (20)$$

has been minimized starting with $\vec{x} = (x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) = (-3, -1, -3, -1)$. This function shows the power of the modified N-R method where \hat{H} is not "complete" positive definite. The results are summarized in Table I.

The same general behaviour for the convergence as described in [1] is observed. In the final steps the simple N-R method shows, however, a slower convergence than in [1] due to the special method used here to find the minimizing λ instead of imposing $\lambda = 1$ at each step. It must be said that for higher order functions with many variables, the estimate of the minimum in the \vec{s} -direction is often very bad by imposing $\lambda = 1$, especially far from the minimum neighbourhood, and that in these cases a new minimum estimate is found for which \hat{H} is again not always positive definite.

- 3) This programme MINIM has been successfully used to minimize the potential energy of a system of interacting atoms in low symmetry crystal structures including a central point defect (e. g. a vacancy in monoclinic ZrO_2). The 70 nearest neighbours to this point defect were allowed to relax and MINIM had to minimize a function of 210 variables. The number of iterations to achieve physical zero gradient for this kind of problem lies between 30 and 40. For cubic structures the displacements are not so big as in low symmetry structures and usually the starting positions are at once in the convergence region of the usual N-R method. To have full relaxation of the atoms, only 4 or 5 iterations are needed. Techniques using only first order methods and relaxing all the atoms at a time showed to be unable to solve this kind of problem.
- 4) MINIM has also been used for curve fitting in the least squares sense. Curves could be fitted where the REEP-programme (using first order methods) failed. A general programme has been designed for this scope.

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Iteration	X_1	X_2	X_3	X_4	Method	Function Value
0	-3.0	-1.0	-3.0	-1.0	NR	19192.
1	-2.696	6.176	-2.663	5.864	NR	1291.4
2	-1.896	2.635	-1.874	2.564	NR	295.95
3	-1.524	2.004	-1.475	1.810	NR	67.895
4	-1.215	1.323	-1.183	1.252	NR	17.336
5	-1.065	1.103	-1.018	0.999	NR	8.689
6	-1.000	1.003	-0.957	0.921	NR	7.892
7	-0.996	1.003	-0.940	0.895	NR	7.876
8	-1.042	1.094	-0.891	0.804	MOD	7.874
9	-1.098	1.211	-0.825	0.686	NR	7.870
10	-1.154	1.338	-0.743	0.558	NR	7.854
11	-1.212	1.474	-0.648	0.421	NR	7.833
12	-1.273	1.627	-0.520	0.267	NR	7.780
13	-1.329	1.772	-0.364	0.121	NR	7.768
14	-1.361	1.862	-0.207	0.031	NR	7.749
15	-1.387	1.933	0.024	-0.039	NR	7.301
16	-1.366	1.874	0.151	0.020	NR	6.779
17	-1.331	1.780	0.447	0.115	NR	6.775
18	-1.262	1.597	0.545	0.300	NR	5.600
19	-1.158	1.336	0.789	0.567	NR	5.148
20	-1.034	1.063	0.929	0.853	NR	4.232
21	-0.880	0.751	1.101	1.180	NR	3.756
22	-0.723	0.504	1.206	1.449	NR	3.164
23	-0.515	0.226	1.322	1.738	NR	2.794
24	-0.398	0.149	1.348	1.818	NR	2.372
25	-0.231	0.024	1.393	1.940	NR	2.136
26	-0.088	-0.007	1.404	1.973	NR	1.775
27	0.157	-0.031	1.411	1.995	NR	1.602
28	0.240	0.056	1.382	1.911	NR	1.077
29	0.479	0.173	1.341	1.798	NR	0.9838
30	0.551	0.302	1.293	1.673	NR	0.4821
31	0.725	0.495	1.221	1.487	NR	0.3236
32	0.801	0.638	1.163	1.350	NR	0.1206
33	0.954	0.887	1.058	1.110	NR	0.738×10^{-1}
34	0.967	0.936	1.031	1.063	NR	0.374×10^{-2}
35	0.999	0.997	1.001	1.002	NR	0.182×10^{-3}
36	0.999	0.999	1.000	1.000	NR	0.473×10^{-7}
37	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	NR	0.340×10^{-13}
38	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	NR	0.371×10^{-26}

TABLE 1

APPENDIX 1 - LISTING OF MINIM.

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SUBROUTINE MINIM (FUN,FM,X,G,H,N,M,IRIT,EPSF,EPSX,EPSG,IMAX,NIT)

PROGRAM CALCULATES MINIMUM OF FUNCTION FM=FM(X(I)) I=1,N

DESCRIPTION CALLING SEQUENCE OF MINIM
 FUN NAME OF FUNCTION TO BE MINIMISED
 X(I) VECTOR OF INDEPENDENT VARIABLES
 G(I) VECTOR OF FIRST DERIVATIVES (GRADIENTS)
 H(J) MATRIX (IN VECTOR FORM) OF SECOND DERIVATIVES (HESSIAN)
 N NUMBER OF ELEMENTS X(I),G(I)
 M NUMBER OF ELEMENTS H(J),MUST BEPUT EQUAL N*(N+1)/2
 IRIT=0 NO PRINTING IN MINIM
 IRIT=1 PRINTING OF ESSENTIAL DATA OF EACH ITERATION
 IRIT=2 XOLD AND XNEW ARE ALSO PRINTED
 IRIT=3 G,S AND D VECTORS ARE ALSO PRINTED
 EPSF DESIRED ACCURACY IN FM (FUNCTION)
 EPSX DESIRED ACCURACY IN X(I) (INDEPENDENT VARIABLES)
 EPSG DESIRED ACCURACY IN G (NORM OF GRADIENT)
 IMAX DESIRED MAXIMUM NUMBER OF ITERATIONS
 NIT ITERATION NUMBER AFTER WHICH GRADIENT METHOD IS AVOIDED
 WHEN EPSF,EPSX,EPSG,IMAX OR NIT ARE PUT ZERO,MINIM SET THESE VALUES
 ON 1.-8 1.-8 1.-8 40 2*N** (1/3)

0002

THE MAIN PROGRAM THAT CALLS MINIM MUST PROVIDE THE SUBROUTINE WITH
 THESE PARAMETERS AND MUST DEFINE THE DIMENSIONS OF X,G AND H

SPECIFICATION OF FUNCTION TO BE MINIMISED
 CALLING SUBROUTINE FUN(N,X,FM,G,H,L).
 FUN IS NAME
 N NUMBER OF VARIABLES DELIVERED BY MINIM
 X(I) VARIABLES DELIVERED BY MINIM
 FM FUNCTION CALCULATED IN FUN
 G(I) GRADIENTS CALCULATED IN FUN
 H(J) HESSIAN CALCULATED IN FUN
 L SWITCH DELIVERED BY MINIM
 FOR L=0 FUN MUST CALCULATE H(J)
 FOR L=1 FUN MUST NOT CALCULATE H(J)
 H(J) MATRIX IS STORED AS A VECTOR IN FOLLOWING MANNER,
 H(1) = H(1,1)
 H(2) = H(2,1)
 H(3) = H(2,2)
 H(4) = H(3,1)
 ETC

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IMPLICIT REAL*8 (A-H,O-Z)

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0004          DIMENSION D(200),G1(200),S(200),XOLD(200),A(200)
0005          DIMENSION ALFA(4),BETA(3),X(N),G(N),H(M)
0006          DATA ALFA /8HMODIFIED,8H NEWTON ,8HRAPHSON ,8HGRADIENT/
0007          DATA BLANK /8H /

C
C          INITIALIZING,START VALUE,LENGTH OF GRADIENT

0008          FPSF=EPSF
0009          FPSX=EPSX
0010          FPSG=EPSG
0011          IMAC=IMAX
0012          NYT=NIT
0013          IF (FPSX.LE.0.000) FPSX=1.0D-8
0014          IF (FPSF.LE.0.000) FPSF=1.0D-8
0015          IF (FPSG.LE.0.000) FPSG=1.0D-8
0016          IF (IMAC.LE.0) IMAC=40
0017          FN=N
0018          IF (NYT.LE.0) NYT=2.0*FN**0.333333

C
0019          CALL FUN(N,X,FM,G,H,0)
0020          GG=0.0D0
0021          DO 12 I=1,N
0022          12 GG=GG+G(I)**2
0023          GNORM=DSQRT(GG)
0024          ITR=0

C
C          BEGIN NEW ITERATION

0025          14 ITR=ITR+1
0026          I5=1
0027          I6=1

C
C          SAFE X AND COMPUTE GHG

0028          FL=FM
0029          GHG=0.0D0
0030          II=0
0031          DO 22 I=1,N
0032          XOLD(I)=X(I)
0033          HGI=0.0D0
0034          II=II+I-1
0035          JJ=II
0036          DO 20 J=1,N
0037          IF (J-I)16,16,18
0038          16 IJ=II+J
0039          GO TO 20
0040          18 JJ=JJ+J-1
0041          IJ=JJ+I

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0042      20 HGI=HGI+H(IJ)*G(J)
0043      22 GHG=GHG+G(I)*HGI
C
C      DEVELOP H IN L*D*LT, STORE L IN H
C      SEARCH FOR LOWEST AND SMALLEST ELEMENT OF D
C
0044      II=0
0045      DO 34 I=1,N
0046      IME=I-1
0047      JJ=II
0048      II=II+IME
0049      DO 32 J=1,N
0050      JJ=JJ+J-1
0051      IJ=JJ+I
0052      AIJ=0.000
0053      IF (I.EQ.1) GO TO 26
0054      DO 24 K=1,IME
0055      KI=II+K
0056      KJ=JJ+K
0057      24 AIJ=AIJ+H(KI)*H(KJ)*D(K)
0058      26 IF (J-1)32,28,30
0059      28 D(I)=H(IJ)-AIJ
0060      H(IJ)=1.000
0061      GO TO 32
0062      30 H(IJ)=(H(IJ)-AIJ)/D(I)
0063      32 CONTINUE
0064      34 CONTINUE
C
0065      ILW=1
0066      ISM=1
0067      DO 36 I=2,N
0068      IF (D(I).LT.D(ILW)) ILW=I
0069      IF (DABS(D(I)).LT.DABS(D(ISM))) ISM=I
0070      36 CONTINUE
C
C      DETERMINE WHETHER H IS POSITIVE DEFINITE OR NOT
C      DEFINE VECTOR A, SEARCH NUMBER OF NEGATIVE ELEMENTS IN D
C
0071      NNEG=0
0072      DO 38 I=1,N
0073      A(I)=0.000
0074      IF (D(I).GT.0.000) GO TO 38
0075      NNEG=NNEG+1
0076      A(I)=1.000
0077      38 CONTINUE
0078      I7=0
0079      IF (NNEG.GT.0) I7=1
C

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C      WHEN HESSLAN NOT POS-DEF USE STEEPEST DESCENT METHOD FOR
C      FIRST 2*N**(1/3) ITERATIONS
C      THE S-DIRECTION IS GIVEN BY    S=-G
0080      IF (I7.EQ.0.OR.ITR.GT.NYT) GO TO 44
0081      DO 40 I=1,N
0082      40 S(I)=-G(I)
0083      I6=0
0084      GO TO 70

C      INVERT LOWER TRIANGULAR MATRIX L AND STORE IN H
0085      44 JJ=0
0086      DO 48 J=2,N
0087      JME=J-1
0088      JJ=JJ+JME
0089      II=0
0090      DO 48 I=1,JME
0091      IME=I+1
0092      II=II+I-1
0093      IJ=JJ+I
0094      AIJ=0.000
0095      IF ((J-I).EQ.1) GO TO 48
0096      KK=II
0097      DO 46 K=IME,JME
0098      KK=KK+K-1
0099      IK=KK+I
0100      KJ=JJ+K
0101      46 AIJ=AIJ+H(IK)*H(KJ)
0102      48 H(IJ)=-H(IJ)-AIJ

C      IF H NOT POS-DEF DETERMINE S-DIRECTION SATISFYING
C      THE EQUATION    LT.S=A
0103      IF (I7.EQ.0) GO TO 56
0104      I5=1
0105      II=0
0106      DO 54 I=1,N
0107      AI=0.000
0108      II=II+I-I
0109      IF (I.EQ.N) GO TO 54
0110      IPE=I+1
0111      JJ=II
0112      DO 52 J=IPE,N
0113      JJ=JJ+J-1
0114      IJ=JJ+I
0115      52 AI=AI+H(IJ)*A(J)
0116      54 S(I)=A(I)+AI

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0117      GO TO 70
          C
          C      IF H IS POS-DEF COMPUTE INVERTED HESSIAN AND STORE IN H
          C      H(-1)=L(-1)*D*LT(-1)
0118      56 I5=0
0119          II=0
0120          DO 60 I=1,N
0121              JJ=II
0122              II=II+I-1
0123              DO 60 J=I,N
0124                  JJ=JJ+J-1
0125                  IJ=JJ+I
0126                  AIJ=0.0D0
0127                  IF (J.EQ.N) GO TO 60
0128                  JPE=J+1
0129                  KK=JJ
0130                  DO 58 K=JPE,N
0131                      KK=KK+K-1
0132                      IK=KK+I
0133                      JK=KK+J
0134      58 AIJ=AIJ+H(IK)*H(JK)/D(K)
0135      60 H(IJ)=H(IJ)/D(J)+AIJ
          C
          C      DETERMINE S-DIRECTION SATISFYING THE EQUATION H*S=-G
0136          II=0
0137          DO 66 I=1,N
0138              S(I)=0.0D0
0139              II=II+I-1
0140              JJ=II
0141              DO 66 J=1,N
0142                  IF (J-I)62,62,64
0143      62 IJ=II+J
0144          GO TO 66
0145      64 JJ=JJ+J-1
0146          IJ=JJ+I
0147      66 S(I)=S(I)-H(IJ)*G(J)
          C
          C      COMPUTE GS,SHS,NORM OF S
0148      70 GS=0.0D0
0149          SS=0.0D0
0150          SHS=0.0D0
0151          DO 72 I=1,N
0152              IF (D(I).LT.0.0D0) SHS=SHS+D(I)
0153          GS=GS+G(I)*S(I)
0154      72 SS=SS+S(I)**2

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0155          SNORM=DSQRT(SS)
C
0156          IF (I5.EQ.0) SHS=-GS
0157          IF (I6.EQ.0) SHS=GHG
0158          IF (GS.LT.0.000) GO TO 80
0159          DO 74 I=1,N
0160          74 S(I)=-S(I)
0161          GS=-GS

C
C
C          APPROXIMATE NEW FUNCTION MINIMUM IN THE S-DIRECTION
C          LAMBDA IS DETERMINED BY DAVIDON METHOD
C
0162          80 K1=0
0163             K2=0
0164             YA=0.000
0165             FA=FL
0166             GSA=GS
0167             YB=-GS/DABS(SHS)
0168             IF (I5.NE.0) YB=DMIN1(YB,1.000/SNORM)
0169             YM=YB
0170             DO 84 I=1,N
0171             84 X(I)=XOLD(I)+YB*S(I)
0172             K1=K1+1
0173             86 CALL FUN(N,X,FB,G1,H,I7)
0174             FM=FB
0175             GSB=0.000
0176             DO 88 I=1,N
0177             88 GSB=GSB+G1(I)*S(I)
0178             IF (FB.GT.FA+FPSE) GO TO 90
0179             IF (I5.EQ.0) GO TO 110
0180             IF (GSB.GT.0.000) GO TO 90
0181             YA=YB
0182             FA=FB
0183             GSA=GSB
0184             YB=YB+YB
0185             GO TO 82

C
0186          90 IF (YA.EQ.YB) WRITE (6,330)
0187             Z=3.000*(FA-FB)/(YB-YA)+GSA+GSB
0188             W=DSQRT(Z*Z-GSA*GSB)
0189             YM=YB-(GSB+W-Z)*(YB-YA)/(GSB-GSA+W+W)
0190             YMS=YA+(YB-YA)*0.2500
0191             ISAF=0
0192             IF (YM.LT.YMS) ISAF=1
0193             IF (ISAF.EQ.1) YM=YMS
0194             DO 92 I=1,N
0195             92 X(I)=XOLD(I)+YM*S(I)

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0196      K2=K2+1
0197      CALL FUN(N,X,FM,G1,H,0)
0198      GIS=0.000
0199      DO 94 I=1,N
0200      94 GIS=GIS+G1(I)*S(I)

      C
      C
      C
0201      IF (ISAF.EQ.1) GO TO 110
0202      IF (FM-FA-FPSF) 98,98,96
0203      96 Y8=YM
0204      FB=FM
0205      GSB=GIS
0206      GO TO 90
0207      98 IF (FM-FB-FPSF) 110,110,100
0208      100 YA=YM
0209      FA=FM
0210      GSA=GIS
0211      GO TO 90

      C
0212      110 YL=YM
0213      DAX=YL*SNORM
0214      GG=0.000
0215      DO 112 I=1,N
0216      G(I)=G1(I)
0217      112 GG=GG+G(I)**2
0218      GNORM=DSQRT(GG)

      C
      C
      C
0219      IF (IRIT.EQ.0) GO TO 116
0220      IPAG=50
0221      NVF=(N+4)/5
0222      IBL=7
0223      IF (IRIT.EQ.2) IBL=8+NVF*2
0224      IF (IRIT.EQ.3) IBL=9+NVF*5
0225      ILN=MAX0(1,(IPAG-2)/IBL)
0226      IF (MOD(ITR,ILN).NE.1.AND.ILN.NE.1) GO TO 114
0227      WRITE (6,320) FPSX,FPSF,FPSG,IMAC,NYT
0228      114 BETA(1)=BLANK
0229      BETA(2)=BLANK
0230      BETA(3)=ALFA(4)
0231      IF (I6.EQ.0) GO TO 118
0232      BETA(2)=ALFA(2)
0233      BETA(3)=ALFA(3)
0234      IF (I7.EQ.1) BETA(1)=ALFA(1)
0235      118 WRITE (6,302) ITR,BETA,K1,K2,NNEG,I6,I7
0236      WRITE (6,304) FL,GS,SHS,GHG

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0237 WRITE (6,306) FM,GNORM,SNORM,DAX
0238 WRITE (6,308) D(ILW),D(ISM),YL
0239 IF (IRIT.EQ.1) GO TO 116
0240 WRITE (6,310) (XOLD(I),I=1,N)
0241 WRITE (6,312) (X(I),I=1,N)
0242 IF (IRIT.EQ.2) GO TO 116
0243 WRITE (6,314) (G(I),I=1,N)
0244 WRITE (6,316) (S(I),I=1,N)
0245 WRITE (6,318) (D(I),I=1,N)
0246 116 CONTINUE

C
C TEST QUALITY OF ITERATION
C
0247 IF (ITR.GT.IMAC) GO TO 120
0248 IF (DAX.LT.FPSX) GO TO 120
0249 IF (DABS(FL-FM).LT.FPSF) GO TO 120
0250 IF (GNORM.GT.FPSG) GO TO 14
0251 120 RETURN

C
0252 302 FORMAT (1H0/1H ,10HITERATION=I3,2X3A8,8H METHOD ,6X17HEXTERNAL SUB
1 ITR=I2,4X17HINTERNAL SUB ITR=I2,5X6HNEG-D=I3,10X2I2)
0253 304 FORMAT (1H0,8H F(OLD)=D22.15,5X4HG#S=D22.15,4X6HS#H#S=D22.15,3X6HG
1#H#G=D22.15)
0254 306 FORMAT (1H ,8H F(NEW)=D22.15,3X6HGNORM=D22.15,4X6HSNORM=D22.15,4X5
1HDAX =D22.15)
0255 308 FORMAT (1H ,8H D(LOW)=D22.15,2X7HD(SML)=D22.15,3X7HLAMBDA=D22.15)
0256 310 FORMAT (1H0,8HXOLD(I)=D17.10,4D20.10/(D26.10,4D20.10))
0257 312 FORMAT (1H ,8HXNEW(I)=D17.10,4D20.10/(D26.10,4D20.10))
0258 314 FORMAT (1H0,6X2HG=D17.10,4D20.10/(D26.10,4D20.10))
0259 316 FORMAT (1H ,6X2HS=D17.10,4D20.10/(D26.10,4D20.10))
0260 318 FORMAT (1H ,6X2HD=D17.10,4D20.10/(D26.10,4D20.10))
0261 320 FORMAT (1H1,5HMINIM,9X5HEPSX=D11.4,5X5HEPSF=D11.4,
15X5HIMAX=I3,6X4HNIT=I2,9X5HMINIM)
0262 330 FORMAT (1H0,45HERROR MESSAGE FROM MINIM,CHECK SUBROUTINE FUN)
0263 END

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APPENDIX 2 - OUT PUT OF MINIM.

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MINIM          EPSX= 0.1000D-07      EPSF= 0.1000D-07      EPSG= 0.1000D-07      IMAX= 40      NIT= 4      MINIM

ITERATION= 1          GRADIENT METHOD      EXTERNAL SUB ITR= 2      INTERNAL SUB ITR= 1      NEG-D= 1      0 1
F(OLD)= 0.920131191039437D 04      G*S=-0.295975336245618D 10      S*H*S= 0.540162401805974D 15      G*H*G= 0.540162401805974D 15
F(NEW)= 0.109562119078805D 04      GNORM= 0.150606797100281D 05      SNORM= 0.544036153436165D 05      DAX = 0.313002806285515D 00
D(LOW)=-0.879308391565555D 05      D(SML)= 0.852739872359131D 04      LAMBDA= 0.575334569786530D-05

XOLD(I)=-0.2715732694D 01      -0.9384514093D 00      0.2133195102D 01      -0.1194156587D 01      0.2133292198D 01
      0.1306303084D 01      -0.1228957713D 01      -0.4710443020D 00      0.2868844509D 01      0.7667501569D 00
XNEW(I)=-0.2807152166D 01      -0.9885407119D 00      0.2177076081D 01      -0.1170148935D 01      0.2107523608D 01
      0.1238246353D 01      -0.1055851138D 01      -0.3944265102D 00      0.2710969926D 01      0.9029342088D 00

ITERATION= 2          NEWTON RAPHSON METHOD      EXTERNAL SUB ITR= 1      INTERNAL SUB ITR= 1      NEG-D= 0      1 0
F(OLD)= 0.109562119078805D 04      G*S=-0.260247923083261D 04      S*H*S= 0.260247923083261D 04      G*H*G= 0.418438315900140D 14
F(NEW)= 0.399313174511913D 03      GNORM= 0.881237364611571D 04      SNORM= 0.119517270875289D 01      DAX = 0.525586943858797D 00
D(LOW)= 0.174868138299792D 04      D(SML)= 0.174868138299792D 04      LAMBDA= 0.439758153787853D 00

XOLD(I)=-0.2807152166D 01      -0.9885407119D 00      0.2177076081D 01      -0.1170148935D 01      0.2107523608D 01
      0.1238246353D 01      -0.1055851138D 01      -0.3944265102D 00      0.2710969926D 01      0.9029342088D 00
XNEW(I)=-0.2788243441D 01      -0.6922301156D 00      0.2292366921D 01      -0.9958197948D 00      0.2022642688D 01
      0.1085200106D 01      -0.1051593344D 01      -0.2682476221D 00      0.2956040033D 01      0.1097292067D 01

ITERATION= 3          NEWTON RAPHSON METHOD      EXTERNAL SUB ITR= 1      INTERNAL SUB ITR= 0      NEG-D= 0      1 0
F(OLD)= 0.399313174511913D 03      G*S=-0.781138429391217D 03      S*H*S= 0.781138429391217D 03      G*H*G= 0.114976914521688D 14
F(NEW)= 0.252879981555465D 01      GNORM= 0.403942286560755D 03      SNORM= 0.190428169388600D 00      DAX = 0.190428169388600D 00
D(LOW)= 0.943354994915657D 04      D(SML)= 0.943354994915657D 04      LAMBDA= 0.100000000000000D 01

XOLD(I)=-0.2788243441D 01      -0.6922301156D 00      0.2292366921D 01      -0.9958197948D 00      0.2022642688D 01
      0.1085200106D 01      -0.1051593344D 01      -0.2682476221D 00      0.2956040033D 01      0.1097292067D 01
XNEW(I)=-0.2741130049D 01      -0.7017278200D 00      0.2263506895D 01      -0.1115887654D 01      0.2030424007D 01
      0.1043178078D 01      -0.9561656945D 00      -0.2508367204D 00      0.2947238683D 01      0.1033165265D 01

ITERATION= 4          NEWTON RAPHSON METHOD      EXTERNAL SUB ITR= 1      INTERNAL SUB ITR= 0      NEG-D= 0      1 0
F(OLD)= 0.252879981555465D 01      G*S=-0.503703825660757D 01      S*H*S= 0.503703825660757D 01      G*H*G= 0.198209466545032D 11
F(NEW)= 0.978967181188882D-02      GNORM= 0.368066211932719D 02      SNORM= 0.494066585828914D-01      DAX = 0.494066585828914D-01
D(LOW)= 0.273596573683033D 04      D(SML)= 0.273596573683033D 04      LAMBDA= 0.100000000000000D 01

XOLD(I)=-0.2741130049D 01      -0.7017278200D 00      0.2263506895D 01      -0.1115887654D 01      0.2030424007D 01
      0.1043178078D 01      -0.9561656945D 00      -0.2508367204D 00      0.2947238683D 01      0.1033165265D 01
XNEW(I)=-0.2728281934D 01      -0.7284499439D 00      0.2247938177D 01      -0.1136991097D 01      0.2070361471D 01
      0.1049740685D 01      -0.9488668812D 00      -0.2497115542D 00      0.2928187643D 01      0.1015492450D 01

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MINIM          EPSX= 0.1000D-07      EPSF= 0.1000D-07      EPSG= 0.1000D-07      IMAX= 40      NIT= 4      MINIM

ITERATION= 5      NEWTON RAPHSON METHOD      EXTERNAL SUB ITR= 1      INTERNAL SUB ITR= 0      NEG-D= 0      1 0
F(OLD)= 0.978967181188882D-02      G*S=-0.195695043204457D-01      S*H*S= 0.195695043204457D-01      G*H*G= 0.154341022788877D 09
F(NEW)= 0.693849414753930D-07      GNORM= 0.228392555222613D-01      SNORM= 0.124480113488103D-02      DAX = 0.124480113488103D-02
D(LOW)= 0.241165026931730D 04      D(SML)= 0.241165026931730D 04      LAMBDA= 0.100000000000000D 01

XOLD(I)=-0.2728281934D 01      -0.7284499439D 00      0.2247938177D 01      -0.1136991097D 01      0.2070361471D 01
      0.1049740685D 01      -0.9488668812D 00      -0.2497115542D 00      0.2928187643D 01      0.1015492450D 01
XNEW(I)=-0.2728295441D 01      -0.7288705718D 00      0.2247657425D 01      -0.1137542904D 01      0.2070822748D 01
      0.1049997893D 01      -0.9485775620D 00      -0.2499698076D 00      0.2927801648D 01      0.1014851527D 01

ITERATION= 6      NEWTON RAPHSON METHOD      EXTERNAL SUB ITR= 1      INTERNAL SUB ITR= 0      NEG-D= 0      1 0
F(OLD)= 0.693849414753930D-07      G*S=-0.138767543141909D-06      S*H*S= 0.138767543141909D-06      G*H*G= 0.508783936389675D 02
F(NEW)= 0.107670887974281D-15      GNORM= 0.376598942272516D-05      SNORM= 0.155618471501742D-04      DAX = 0.155618471501742D-04
D(LOW)= 0.235572063965228D 04      D(SML)= 0.235572063965228D 04      LAMBDA= 0.100000000000000D 01

XOLD(I)=-0.2728295441D 01      -0.7288705718D 00      0.2247657425D 01      -0.1137542904D 01      0.2070822748D 01
      0.1049997893D 01      -0.9485775620D 00      -0.2499698076D 00      0.2927801648D 01      0.1014851527D 01
XNEW(I)=-0.2728291512D 01      -0.7288799284D 00      0.2247653961D 01      -0.1137546539D 01      0.2070822716D 01
      0.1049996376D 01      -0.9485731126D 00      -0.2499752043D 00      0.2927797318D 01      0.1014844895D 01

ITERATION= 7      NEWTON RAPHSON METHOD      EXTERNAL SUB ITR= 1      INTERNAL SUB ITR= 0      NEG-D= 0      1 0
F(OLD)= 0.107670887974281D-15      G*S=-0.215341775787039D-15      S*H*S= 0.215341775787039D-15      G*H*G= 0.183931047166054D-05
F(NEW)= 0.829635153259623D-26      GNORM= 0.415991143045312D-10      SNORM= 0.370052427931621D-09      DAX = 0.370052427931621D-09
D(LOW)= 0.235565139601204D 04      D(SML)= 0.235565139601204D 04      LAMBDA= 0.100000000000000D 01

XOLD(I)=-0.2728291512D 01      -0.7288799284D 00      0.2247653961D 01      -0.1137546539D 01      0.2070822716D 01
      0.1049996376D 01      -0.9485731126D 00      -0.2499752043D 00      0.2927797318D 01      0.1014844895D 01
XNEW(I)=-0.2728291512D 01      -0.7288799286D 00      0.2247653961D 01      -0.1137546539D 01      0.2070822716D 01
      0.1049996376D 01      -0.9485731125D 00      -0.2499752045D 00      0.2927797318D 01      0.1014844894D 01

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0001      IMPLICIT REAL*8(A-H,X)
0002      EXTERNAL FCOS
0003      COMMON A(40,40),B(40,40),E(40)
0004      DIMENSION X(40),G(40),H(2000)
0005      400 READ (5,100) N,K,Z
0006      CALL SETRND(Z)
0007      DO 4 I=1,N
0008      DO 2 J=1,N
0009      A(I,J)=RANDOM(-1.0E2,1.0E2)
0010      2 B(I,J)=RANDOM(-1.0E2,1.0E2)
0011      4 X(I)=RANDOM(-3.1415E0,3.1415E0)
C
0012      DO 6 I=1,N
0013      E(I)=0.000
0014      DO 8 J=1,N
0015      8 E(I)=E(I)+A(I,J)*DSIN(X(J))+B(I,J)*DCOS(X(J))
0016      6 CONTINUE
C
0017      WRITE (6,102) (X(I),I=1,N)
0018      WRITE (6,108) (E(I),I=1,N)
0019      DO 20 I=1,N
0020      20 X(I)=X(I)+RANDGM(-3.14E-1,3.14E-1)
0021      M=(N*(N+1))/2
0022      CALL MINIM (FCOS,FM,X,G,H,N,M,K,0.000,0.000,0.000,0,0)
0023      GO TO 400
0024      100 FORMAT(2I2,F6.0)
0025      102 FORMAT (1H1,12F10.3/(1H0,12F10.3))
0026      108 FORMAT (1H0,12F10.3/(1H0,12F10.3))
0027      END

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0001      SUBROUTINE FCOS(N,X,FM,G,H,L)
0002      IMPLICIT REAL*8 (A-H,O-Z)
0003      DIMENSION X(1),G(1),H(1),D(40)
0004      DATA T/2.000/
0005      COMMON A(40,40),B(40,40),E(40)

      C
      C
      C      FLETCHER AND POWELL MULTI-VARIABLE COS-SIN FUNCTION
      C
0006      DO 4 I=1,N
0007      D(I)=-E(I)
0008      DO 4 J=1,N
0009      4 D(I)=D(I)+A(I,J)*DSIN(X(J))+B(I,J)*DCOS(X(J))
0010      FS=0.000
0011      DO 6 I=1,N
0012      6 FS=FS+D(I)**2
0013      FM=FS

      C
      C
      C      GRADIENTS
      C
0014      DO 10 K=1,N
0015      G(K)=0.000
0016      DO 10 I=1,N
0017      10 G(K)=G(K)+T*D(I)*(A(I,K)*DCOS(X(K))-B(I,K)*DSIN(X(K)))

      C
      C
      C      HESSIAN ONLY IF L=0
      C
0018      IF (L.NE.0) GO TO 80
0019      IN=0
0020      DO 20 I=1,N
0021      DO 20 J=1,I
0022      IN=IN+1
0023      S=0.000
0024      IF (I.EQ.J) GO TO 14
0025      DO 12 K=1,N
0026      12 S=S+(A(K,I)*DCOS(X(I))-B(K,I)*DSIN(X(I)))*(A(K,J)*DCOS(X(J))-B(K,J)
1) * DSIN(X(J)))
0027      GO TO 18
0028      14 DO 16 K=1,N
0029      16 S=S-D(K)*(A(K,I)*DSIN(X(I))+B(K,I)*DCOS(X(I)))+(A(K,I)*DCOS(X(I))-
18 B(K,I)*DSIN(X(I)))**2
0030      18 H(IN)=T*S
0031      20 CONTINUE
0032      80 RETURN
0033      END

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0001      SUBROUTINE SETRND(ARG)
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0002      INTEGER IARG/221/
0003      IARG=ARG+0.5
0004      IF(MOD(IARG,2).EQ.0) IARG=IARG+1
0005      RETURN
          C
0006      ENTRY RANDOM(ARG1,ARG2)
0007      VAL=ARG2-ARG1
0008      IARG=IARG*65539
0009      IF(IARG)5,6,6
0010      5 IARG=IARG+2147483647+1
0011      6 RANDOM=IARG*0.4656613E-9*VAL+ARG1
0012      RETURN
0013      END
    
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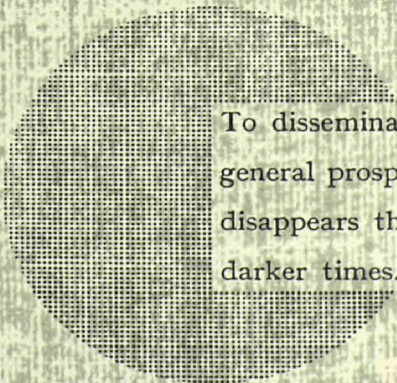

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