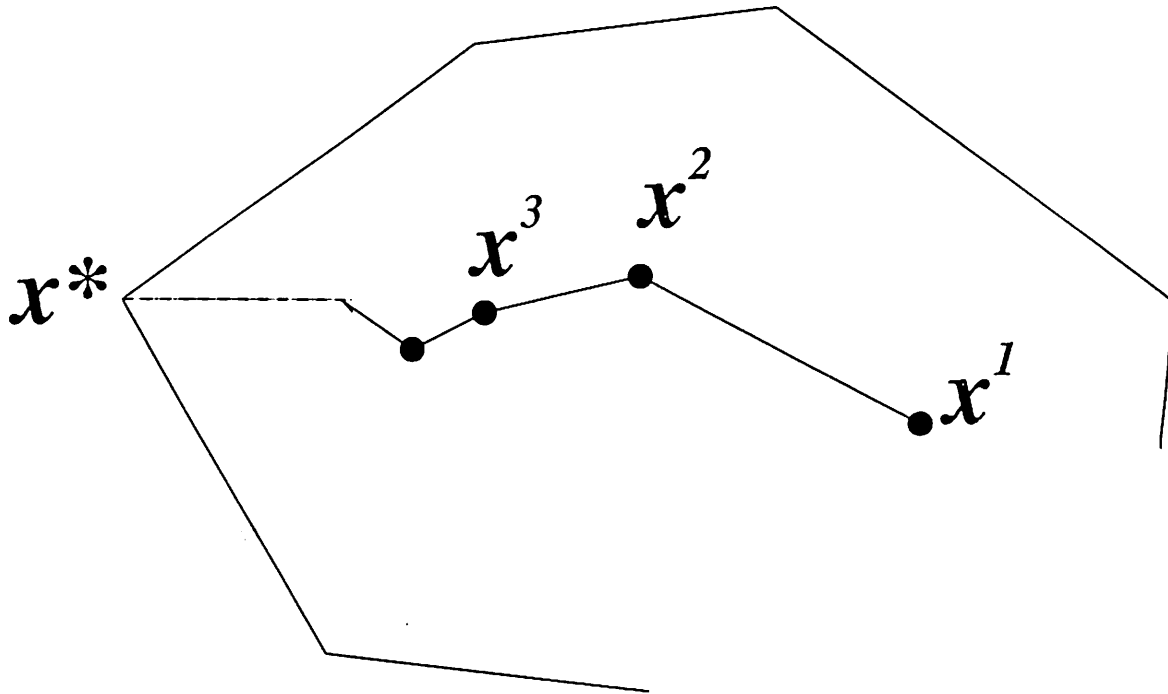


□ Interior Point Method

- Basic Idea:



Step 1: Start with an interior solution.

Step 2: If current solution is good enough, STOP.

Otherwise,

Step 3: Check all directions for improvement and move to a better interior solution.

Go to Step 2.

7.2 (a), (c)
⊙ Prove that the
properties (T1) ~ (T6)
holds for T_k defined
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□ Interior Movement

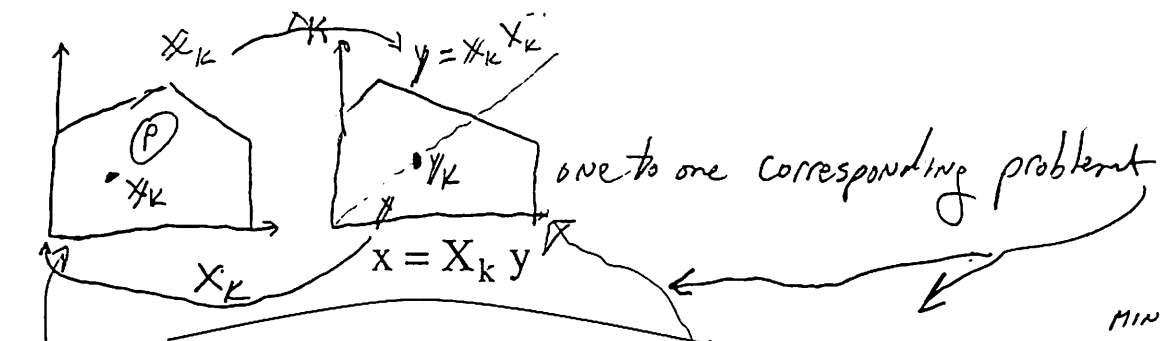
- Format:

$$\mathbf{x}^{k+1} = \mathbf{x}^k + \alpha \mathbf{d}_{\mathbf{x}}^k$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \alpha \geq 0 : \text{Step - length} \\ \mathbf{d}_{\mathbf{x}}^k \in R^n : \text{moving direction} \end{array} \right.$$

- Questions:

- 1 How to find a “good” direction $\mathbf{d}_{\mathbf{x}}^k$?
- 2 How far should we move?



$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{Min} & c^T x \\ \text{s.t.} & Ax = b \\ & x \geq 0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{Min} & c^T X_k y \\ \text{s.t.} & A X_k y = b \\ & y \geq 0 \end{array}$$

$$\min c^T X_k y = c' y$$

$$A' = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}$$

x^k

$$y^k = e$$

$$y^{k+1} = y^k + \alpha_k \frac{d_y^k}{\|d_y^k\|}$$

all coordinates *step length* *unit vector*

$$A' = a_{11}x_1^k, a_{12}x_2^k, \dots, a$$

$$d_y^k = (I - A'^T(A'A')^{-1}A')(-)$$

$$= (I - X_k^T(A X_k^2 A^T)^{-1}A X_k)(-)$$

$$d_y^k = [I - X_k A^T (A X_k^2 A^T)^{-1} A X_k] \cdot (-X_k c)$$

$$x^{k+1} = X_k y^{k+1}$$

$$= X_k y^k + \alpha_k \frac{d_y^k}{\|d_y^k\|} = d_x^k$$

$$= x^k + \frac{\alpha_k}{\|d_y^k\|} d_x^k$$

$$\therefore \underline{d_x^k = -X_k [I - X_k A^T (A X_k^2 A^T)^{-1} A X_k] X_k c}$$

$$\underline{\alpha_k = 0.99 \text{ (say)}} \quad 0 < \alpha_k < 1$$

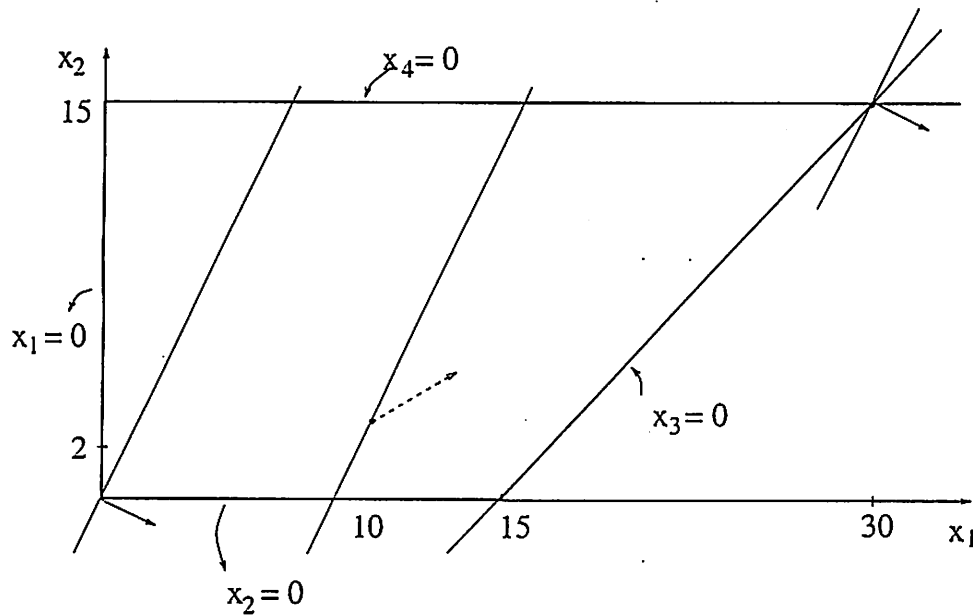
AN EXAMPLE

$$\min \quad -2x_1 + x_2$$

$$\text{s.t.} \quad x_1 - x_2 \leq 15$$

$$x_2 \leq 15$$

$$x_1, x_2 \geq 0$$



Reformulate to standard form

$$\begin{array}{ll} \min & -2x_1 + x_2 \\ \text{s.t.} & x_1 - x_2 + x_3 = 15 \\ & x_2 + x_4 = 15 \\ & x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4 \geq 0 \end{array}$$

$$\text{and } \mathbf{x}^0 = \begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ 2 \\ 7 \\ 13 \end{pmatrix} \text{ is feasible}$$

MATRIX FORMAT

$$\min \quad \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x}$$

$$\text{s.t.} \quad \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$$

$$\mathbf{x} > \mathbf{0}$$

$$\text{where } \mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 15 \\ 15 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{c} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{x}^0 = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 2 \\ 7 \\ 13 \end{bmatrix}$$

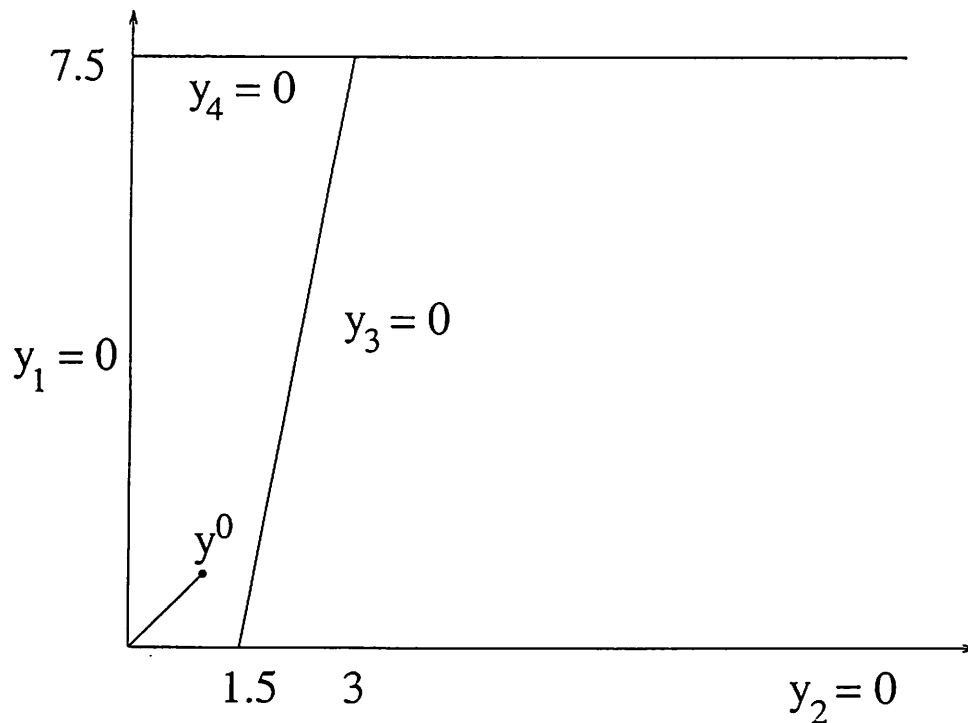
$$\mathbf{X}_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & & & \\ & 2 & & \\ & & 7 & \\ & & & 13 \end{bmatrix}$$

SCALING

$$\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{X}_0^{-1} \mathbf{X} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{10} & & & \\ & \frac{1}{2} & & \\ & 0 & \frac{1}{7} & \\ & & & \frac{1}{13} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \begin{aligned} y_1 &= x_1/10 = 1 \\ y_2 &= x_2/2 = 1 \\ y_3 &= x_3/7 = 1 \\ y_4 &= x_4/13 = 1 \end{aligned}$$

The problem is transformed to

$$\begin{aligned} \min \quad & -2(10y_1) + (2y_2) = -20y_1 + 2y_2 \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & 10y_1 - 2y_2 + 7y_3 = 15 \\ & 2y_2 + 13y_4 = 15 \\ & y_1, y_2, y_3, y_4 \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$



The new matrix form

$$\begin{aligned} \min \quad & \bar{\mathbf{c}}^T \mathbf{y} \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & \bar{\mathbf{A}} \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{b} \\ & \mathbf{y} > \mathbf{0} \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\bar{\mathbf{A}} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & -2 & 7 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 13 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 15 \\ 15 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bar{\mathbf{c}} = \begin{bmatrix} -20 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{and } \mathbf{y}^0 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{cases} \tilde{\mathbf{A}} = \mathbf{A} \mathbf{X}_0 \\ \tilde{\mathbf{c}} = \mathbf{X}_0 \mathbf{c} \\ \mathbf{y}^0 = \mathbf{X}_0^{-1} \mathbf{x}_0 \end{cases}$$