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Optimization tool FOPS

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Motivation

Always try to do the best...

- optimal antenna design^[1]
- knowing characteristic modes -> optimal feeding
- common habit of commercial solvers
- combining good features of different methods
- comparison of new optimization methods

[1] M. Gustafsson, M. Cismasu and B. L. G. Jonsson, "Physical Bounds and Optimal Currents on Antennas," in *IEEE Transactions on Antennas and Propagation*, vol. 60, no. 6, pp. 2672-2681, June 2012.

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Metaheuristics in general

Problem formulation

Minimize $F_m(\mathbf{x}), \quad m = 1, 2, \dots, M,$

subject to $g_j(\mathbf{x}) \geq 0, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, J,$

$x_{n,\min} \leq x_n \leq x_{n,\max}, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots, N.$

F_m - m -th objective function,

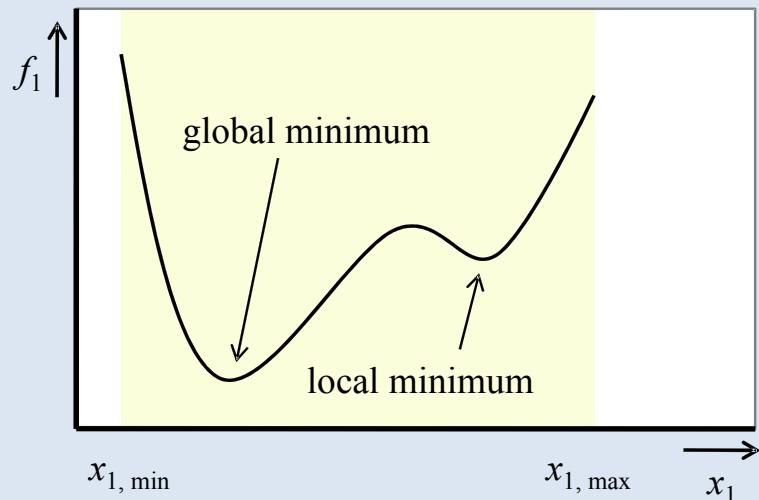
\mathbf{x} - decision space (variables, parameter) vector

g_j - j -th constraint condition

$x_{n,\min}, x_{n,\max}$ - lower and upper bound of n -th variable

Metaheuristics in general

Global vs. Local methods



Local methods:

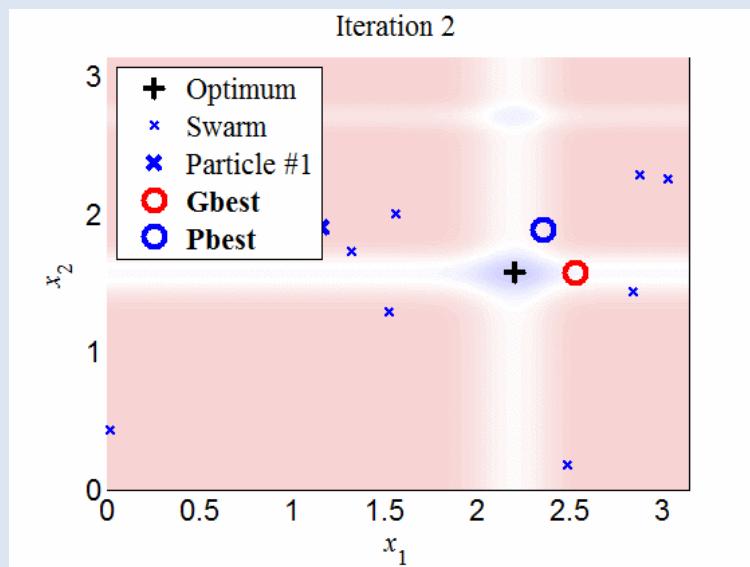
- good initial guess
- fast and accurate
- tend to local minimum
- derivatives or differences

Global methods:

- fixed bounds of variables
- brute force
- get out of local minimum
- no information about objective functions

Metaheuristics in general

General Pseudocode of Global Methods



Random individuals generation (solution)

Objective function evaluation

While stop condition

Propose new individuals

Objective function evaluation

End

Best solution assignment

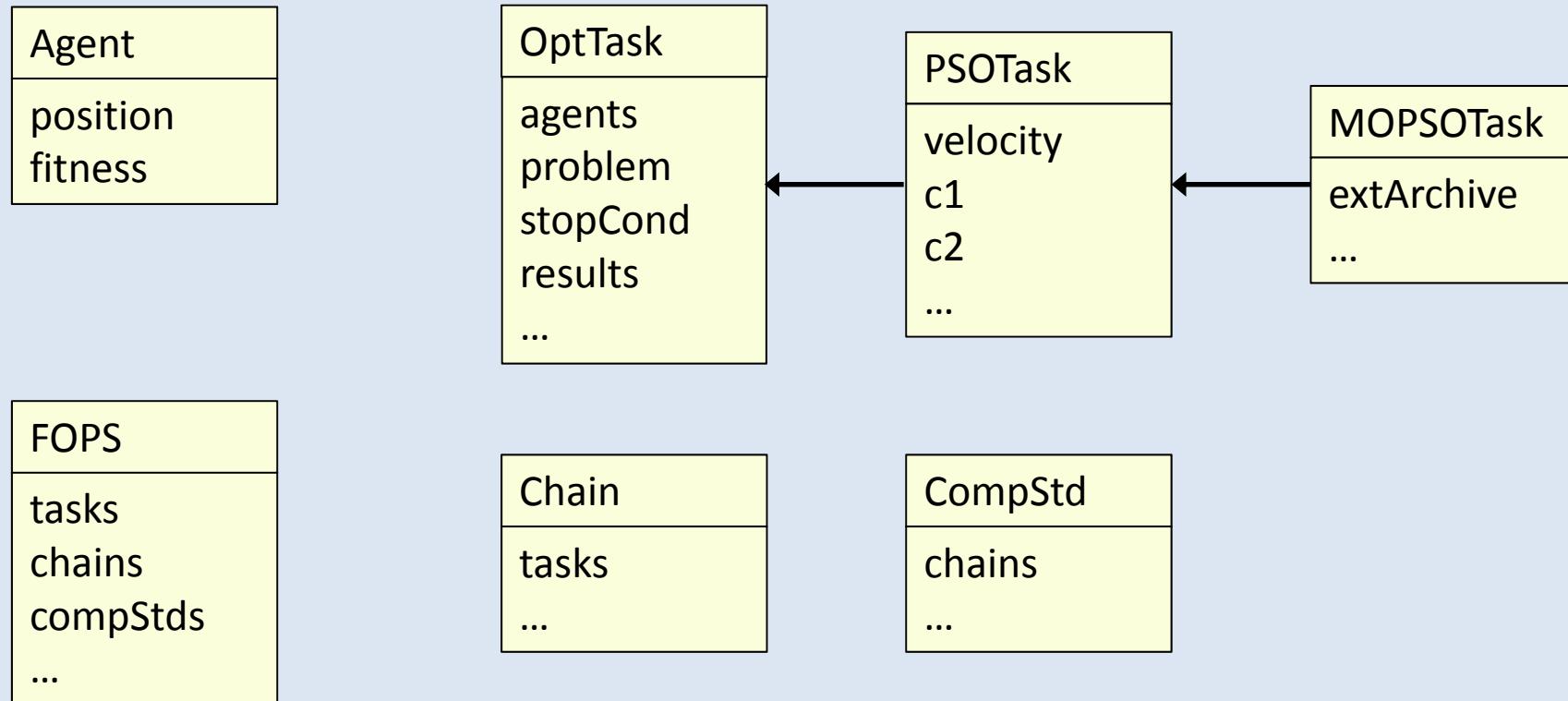
FOPS Features

FOPS = Fast Optimization ProcedureS

- local methods: steepest descent, Newton method
- global methods: Nelder Mead, GA, PSO, DE, SOMA ...
- single- and multiobjective codes
- chains from individual methods
- user defined problems
- gallery of benchmark problems
- comparative tool

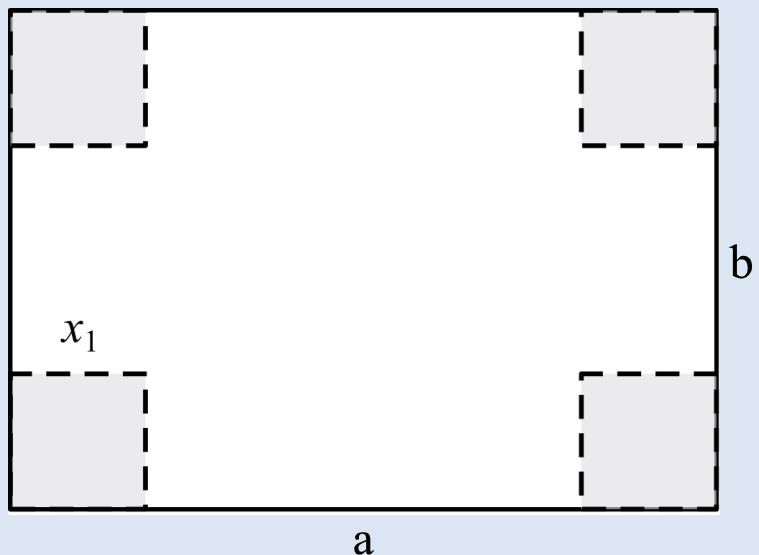
FOPS Architecture

Object Oriented Programming



Example 1

Box with maximal volume - singleobjective



$$f_1 = -(4x_1^3 - (2a + 2b)x_1^2 + abx_1)$$

$$a = 275, b = 210$$

$$x_{1,1} = 122.32, x_{1,2} = 39.34,$$

$$f(x_{1,1}) = 1.29 \cdot 10^5,$$

$$f(x_{1,2}) = -1.01 \cdot 10^6$$

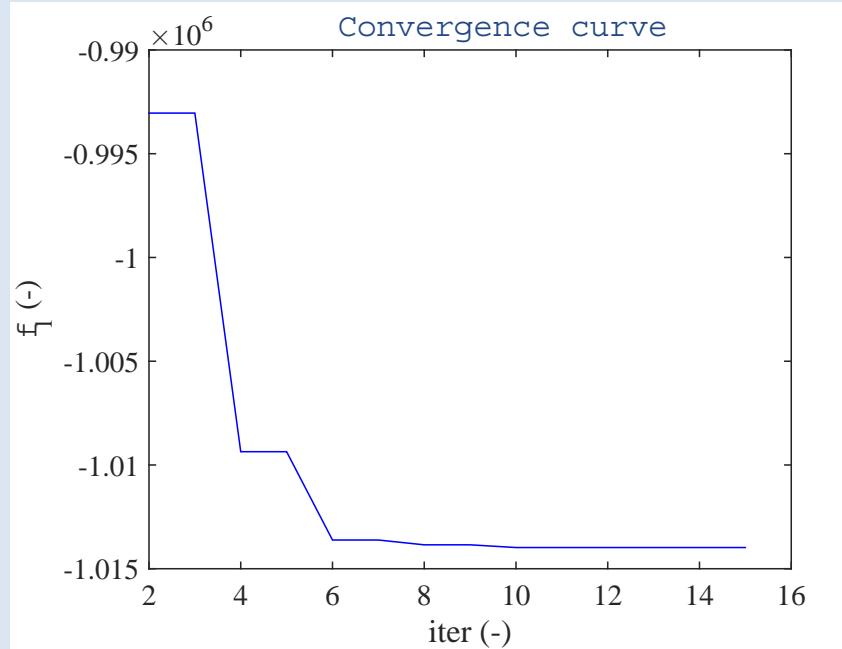
Example 1

FOPS solution using default SOPSO

```
fops = FOPS();  
  
problem = struct('limits', [1; 105], ...  
    'fitness', @(x) boxVolume(x), ...  
    'isVectorized', true, ...  
    'name', 'myProblemBox');  
  
fops.addTask({problem}, {'SOPSO'});  
  
fops.runTasks; % fops.runTask('myProblemBox')  
  
function [f] = boxVolume(x)  
    a = 275;  
    b = 210;  
    f(:, 1) = -(4*x(:,1).^3 - (2*a+2*b)*x(:,1).^2 + a*b*x(:,1));  
end
```

Example 1

Results



```
...
fops.runTasks;

fops.resultFitness

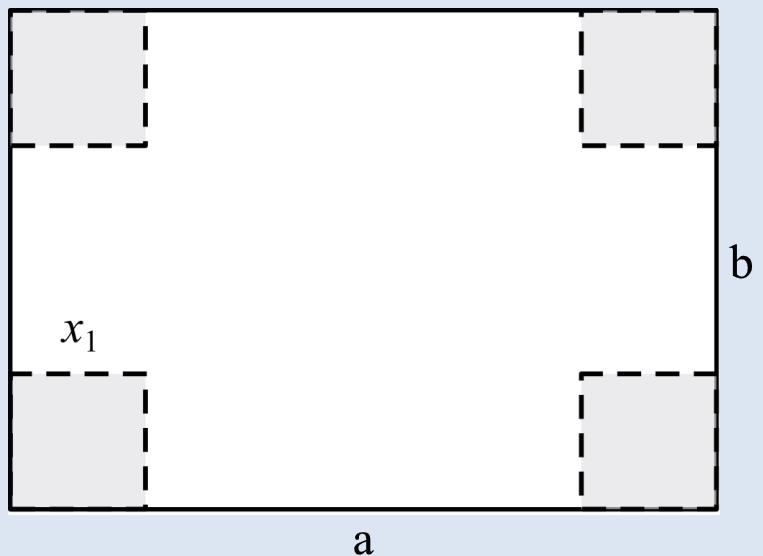
ans = -1014184

fops.resultX

ans = 39.34
```

Example 2

Box - max volume and min waste



$$f_1 = -(4x_1^3 - (2a + 2b)x_1^2 + abx_1),$$

$$f_2 = 4x_1^2,$$

$$a = 275,$$

$$b = 210$$

Example 2

FOPS solution using chain NSGA-II - MOPSO

```
fops = FOPS();

problem = struct('limits', [0; 105], 'fitness', @(x) boxVolume(x), ...
    'isVectorized', true, 'name', 'myProblemBoxMO');

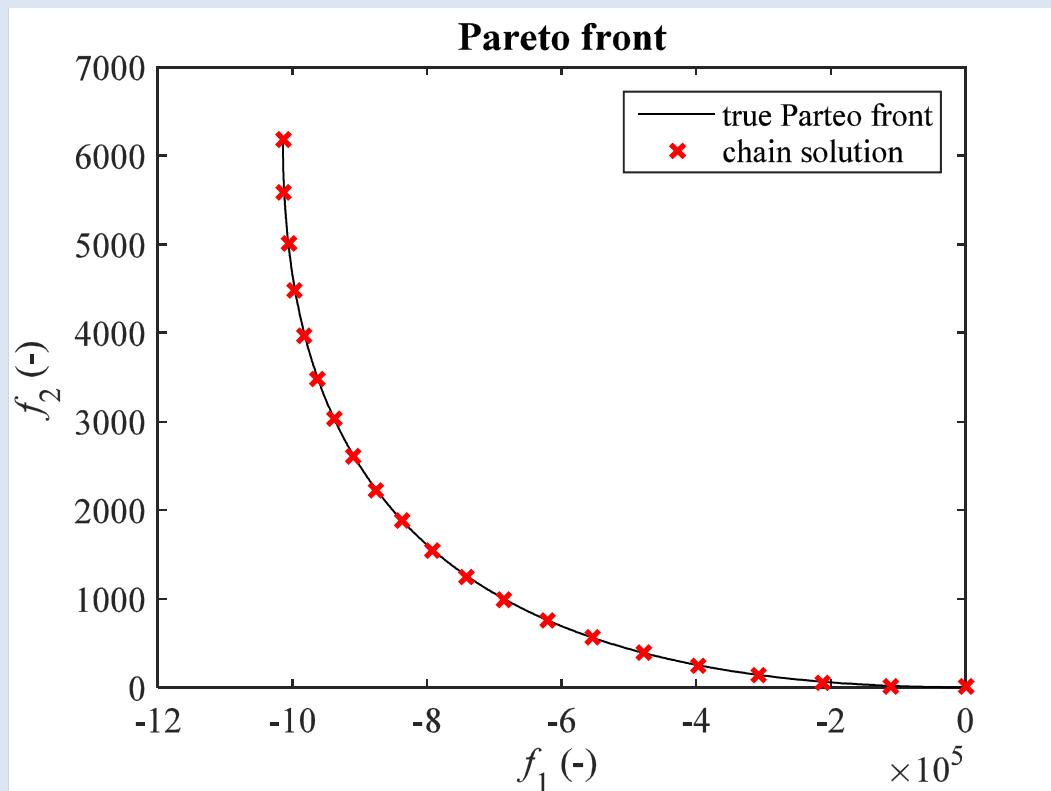
psoSettings = struct('nIter', 10, 'w', 0.7, 'c2', 1.9);

fops.addChain({problem}, {'NSGAIID', 'MOPSO'}, {[{}], psoSettings});
fops.runChains;

function [f] = boxVolume(x)
    a = 275;
    b = 210;
    f(:, 1) = -(4*x(:,1).^3 - (2*a+2*b)*x(:,1).^2 + a*b*x(:,1));
    f(:, 2) = 4*x(:,1).^2;
end
```

Example 2

Results of chain NSGA-II - MOPSO



Example 3

Comparative study

```
fops = FOPS();  
  
fops.addCompStudy(10, ... % nRuns  
    { 'MOZDT1'; 'MOFON'; 'MOZDT3' }, ... % problems  
    { 'Delta'; 'GD'; 'HV' }, ... % requests  
    { 'NSGAIID'; ... % algorithms: chain1  
    'MOPSO'; ... % algorithms: chain2  
    'NSGAIID', 'MOPSO' } ); % algorithms: chain3  
  
fops.runCompStudies;
```

Example 3

Comparative study - tables of specified metrics

GD: 3x3 table =

	NSGA_II	MOPSO	Chain
MOZDT1	'1.83e-01'	'2.28e-01'	'1.24e-02'
MOFON	'2.71e-03'	'7.82e-05'	'7.37e-05'
MOZDT3	'1.19e-01'	'2.43e-01'	'9.53e-03'

Delta: 3x3 table =

	NSGA_II	MOPSO	Chain
MOZDT1	'6.11e-01'	'4.11e-01'	'1.46e-01'
MOFON	'1.57e-01'	'1.18e-01'	'1.12e-01'
MOZDT3	'6.38e-01'	'7.44e-01'	'3.13e-01'

HV: 3x3 table =

	NSGA_II	MOPSO	Chain
MOZDT1	'4.05e-01'	'3.74e-01'	'6.44e-01'
MOFON	'3.31e-01'	'3.37e-01'	'3.37e-01'
MOZDT3	'5.82e-01'	'4.54e-01'	'8.21e-01'

Summary

FOPS:

- any dimension N , any number of objectives M and constraints g
- SOOP / MOOP
- job manager
- chaining of methods
- comparative tool (benchmark functions, metrics)

Planned work:

- GUI
- more methods
- variable number of dimensions

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