

⑥ a) On the surface of the moon, we have a Lagrange Mult. problem
 Maximize $T = 50(1 - x^2 - y^2 - z^2) + 10(\sqrt{3}x + z)$ subj to $g = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$
 $\nabla T = (-100x + 10\sqrt{3}, -100y, -100z + 10)$ $\nabla g = (2x, 2y, 2z)$

At extrema, $\nabla T = \lambda \nabla g$

$$-100x + 10\sqrt{3} = \lambda 2x$$

$$-100y = \lambda 2y \rightarrow 0 = y(\lambda + 50), \text{ so } y = 0 \text{ or } \lambda = -50$$

$$-100z + 10 = \lambda 2z$$

If $\lambda = -50$, $-100x + 10\sqrt{3} = (-50)2x \rightarrow 10\sqrt{3} = 0$. So $\lambda \neq -50$.

So, $y = 0$. x, z cannot = 0, since that would lead to $10\sqrt{3}, 10 = 0$.

So we can divide to eliminate λ :

$$-50 + \frac{5\sqrt{3}}{x} = \lambda = -50 + \frac{10}{2z}$$

$$\frac{5\sqrt{3}}{x} = \frac{5}{z}$$

$$z = x/\sqrt{3}$$

Apply constraint $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1 \rightarrow x^2 + 0 + \frac{x^2}{3} = 1 \rightarrow \frac{4}{3}x^2 = 1 \rightarrow x = \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
 $z = \pm \frac{1}{2}$

Possible extrema: $(\sqrt{3}/2, 0, 1/2), (-\sqrt{3}/2, 0, -1/2)$

$$T(\sqrt{3}/2, 0, 1/2) = 50(1 - \frac{3}{4} - 0 - \frac{1}{4}) + 10(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}) = 10$$

$$T(-\sqrt{3}/2, 0, -1/2) = 50(1 - \frac{3}{4} - 0 - \frac{1}{4}) + 10(-\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}) = -10$$

So hottest point on surface of moon is at $(\sqrt{3}/2, 0, 1/2)$

b) Having already considered $\nabla T = \lambda \nabla g$ (extrema on surface), we should now check $\nabla g = 0: (x, y, z) = (0, 0, 0)$

And of course, the unconstrained problem, $\nabla T = 0$

$$(-100x + 10\sqrt{3}, -100y, -100z + 10) = (0, 0, 0)$$

$$-100x + 10\sqrt{3} = 0 \quad -100y = 0 \quad -100z + 10 = 0$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{10} = x \quad y = 0 \quad \frac{1}{10} = z$$

Is $(\sqrt{3}/10, 0, 1/10)$ inside sphere? $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = \frac{3}{100} + 0 + \frac{1}{100} = \frac{4}{100} < 1$. Yes!

$$T(0, 0, 0) = 0$$

$$T(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{10}, 0, \frac{1}{10}) = 50(1 - \frac{3}{100} - 0 - \frac{1}{100}) + 10(\frac{3}{10} + \frac{1}{10}) = 52$$

So the temperature is greatest at $(\sqrt{3}/10, 0, 1/10)$

c) We have the same candidate points; we simply take the one giving smallest T.

So the temperature is least at $(-\sqrt{3}/2, 0, -1/2)$

⑦ Let's do this problem 2 different ways.

Way 1: Vectors & Calc 1 Material

The planes $2x+y+z=2$ & $x-y-3z=4$ intersect in a line that is \perp to both of their normal vectors $(2, 1, 1)$ and $(1, -1, -3)$. We can find such a vector using the cross product:

$$\begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & -3 \end{vmatrix} = (-2, 7, -3) \text{ is in direction of line}$$

Now we just need a point on this line — a point on both planes!

Choose $z=0$. Then $2x+y=2$ & $x-y=4$. Summing, $3x=6 \rightarrow x=2$
Hence $y=-2$

So $(2, -2, 0)$ is on line.

Now I can describe the line parametrically:

$$\left. \begin{aligned} x &= -2t + 2 \\ y &= 7t - 2 \\ z &= -3t \end{aligned} \right\} t \in \mathbb{R}$$

Now, we'd like to minimize distance from this line to the origin (or distance squared). $D^2 = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$, for a general point.

But a point on this line must satisfy our parametric equation for some t ,

$$\text{so } f = D^2 = (-2t+2)^2 + (7t-2)^2 + (-3t)^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(t) = D^2 &= 4t^2 - 8t + 4 + 49t^2 - 28t + 4 + 9t^2 \\ &= 62t^2 - 36t + 8 \end{aligned}$$

Since f is a function of t only, I can minimize it using calc 1 techniques!

$$f'(t) = 124t - 36 = 0$$

$$124t = 36$$

$$t = 9/31$$

$$\text{Hence } x(t) = -\frac{18}{31} + 2 = \frac{44}{31}, \quad y(t) = \frac{63}{31} - 2 = \frac{1}{31}, \quad z(t) = -\frac{27}{31}$$

So the closest point on the intersection of those planes is $\left(\frac{44}{31}, \frac{1}{31}, -\frac{27}{31}\right)$

Way 2: Lagrange Multipliers with Multiple Constraints

Minimize $f = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ subject to $g = 2x + y + z = 2$ AND $h = x - y - 3z = 4$

Key to L.M. problems with multiple constraints:

$$\nabla f = \lambda_1 \nabla g + \lambda_2 \nabla h \quad \leftarrow \text{Think about why this must be!}$$

$$\nabla f = (2x, 2y, 2z). \quad \nabla g = (2, 1, 1). \quad \nabla h = (1, -1, -3)$$

$$2x = 2\lambda_1 + \lambda_2$$

$$2y = \lambda_1 - \lambda_2$$

$$2z = \lambda_1 - 3\lambda_2$$

Let's eliminate λ_2 :

Adding 1st & 2nd: $2x + 2y = 2\lambda_1 + \lambda_1 \rightarrow 2(x+y) = 3\lambda_1$

Adding 3*1st & 3rd: $6x + 2z = 6\lambda_1 + \lambda_1 \rightarrow 2(3x+z) = 7\lambda_1$

Eliminating λ_1 :

$$\frac{2(x+y)}{3} = \lambda_1 = \frac{2(3x+z)}{7}$$

$$\left(\frac{7}{3}-3\right)x + \frac{7}{3}y = z$$

"This doesn't look like a solution!" you cry. But don't forget, we still have two other equations we haven't used — the constraints.

g: $2x + y + z = 2$

$$2x + y + \left(-\frac{2}{3}x + \frac{7}{3}y\right) = 2$$

$$4x + 10y = 6$$

h: $x - y - 3z = 4$

$$x - y - 3\left(-\frac{2}{3}x + \frac{7}{3}y\right) = 4$$

$$3x - 8y = 4$$

$-4/3 \times$ this eqn + last eqn:

$$\begin{array}{r} 4x + 10y = 6 \\ -4x + \frac{32}{3}y = -\frac{16}{3} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\frac{62}{3}y = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$y = 1/31$$

So $x = \frac{6 - 10/31}{4} = 44/31$, $z = -\frac{2}{3}\left(\frac{44}{31}\right) + \frac{7}{3}\left(\frac{1}{31}\right) = -\frac{27}{31}$

So the closest point to origin on BOTH planes simultaneously (& thus on that line) is $\boxed{\left(\frac{44}{31}, \frac{1}{31}, -\frac{27}{31}\right)}$. Same as before!

(Choose whichever method you're comfortable with.)

⑧ First, let's find the potential mins & max's of the unbounded problem:

$$f = x^2 - xy + 2y^2 - 6x - 4y$$

$$\nabla f = (2x - y - 6, -x + 4y - 4) = 0 \text{ for unconstrained max/min}$$

$$2x - y - 6 = 0, \quad -x + 4y - 4 = 0$$

Twice the 2nd + the 1st $\rightarrow 7y - 14 = 0$
 $y = 2 \rightarrow x = 4$

So (4, 2) is a potential max/min.

Check out the Hessian matrix,

$$H_f = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad \det H_f = 8 - 1 > 0 \quad f_{xx} > 0 \text{ so local min! at } (4, 2)$$

Now, let's deal with the boundaries. We'll take the 3 sides one at a time.

Left: constraint $g = x = 0$

Extrema at $\nabla f = \lambda \nabla g$

$$\text{So } 2x - y - 6 = \lambda(1)$$

$$-x + 4y - 4 = \lambda(0)$$

$$\text{So } 4y = x + 4$$

using constraint $x = 0 \rightarrow y = 1$

Extrema on left edge is @ (0, 1)

Two ways:
 Lagrange
 Calc 1

Constraint $x = 0$ means
 $f = 0 - 0y + 2y^2 - 0 - 4y$
 $f'(y) = 4y - 4$
 Max when $f'(y) = 0 \rightarrow y = 1$

Bottom: constraint $h = y = 0$

Extrema at $\nabla f = \lambda \nabla h$

$$2x - y - 6 = \lambda(0)$$

$$-x + 4y + 4 = \lambda(1)$$

$$\text{So } x = \frac{1}{2}(y + 6)$$

using constraint, $y = 0 \rightarrow x = 3$

Lagrange
 Calc 1

Extrema @ (3, 0)

Constraint $y = 0$ means
 $f = x^2 - 0x + 0 - 6x - 0$
 $f'(x) = 2x - 6 = 0$
 Max at $x = 3, y = 0$

Diagonal constraint $j = x + 2y = 24$

Extrema at $\nabla f = \lambda \nabla j$

$$2x - y - 6 = \lambda(1)$$

$$-x + 4y - 4 = \lambda(2)$$

2eq1 + -eq2:

$$5x - 6y - 8 = 0$$

$$\frac{5x - 8}{6} = y$$

Constraint $x + 2y = 24$

$$x + \frac{5x - 8}{3} = 24$$

$$\frac{8x}{3} = \frac{80}{3} \rightarrow x = 10, y = 7$$

Extrema @ (10, 7)

Lagrange
 Calc 1

If $x + 2y = 24$, then $x = 24 - 2y$
 $f = x^2 - xy + 2y^2 - 6x - 4y$
 $f = (24 - 2y)^2 - (24 - 2y)y + 2y^2 - 6(24 - 2y) - 4y$
 $f = 432 - 112y + 8y^2$
 $f'(y) = -112 + 16y = 0$
 $16y = 112$
 $y = 7$
 $x = 24 - 2y = 10$

So now we have candidates for max/min's. We should also consider places where $\nabla g = 0$ (there are none) and any places where the function isn't smooth, i.e. **CORNERS**

Our candidates are thus (4, 2), (0, 1), (3, 0), (10, 7), (0, 0), (0, 12), and (24, 0).

Evaluating,

$f(4,2) = -16$ ← Absolute minimum!

$f(0,1) = -2$

$f(3,0) = -9$

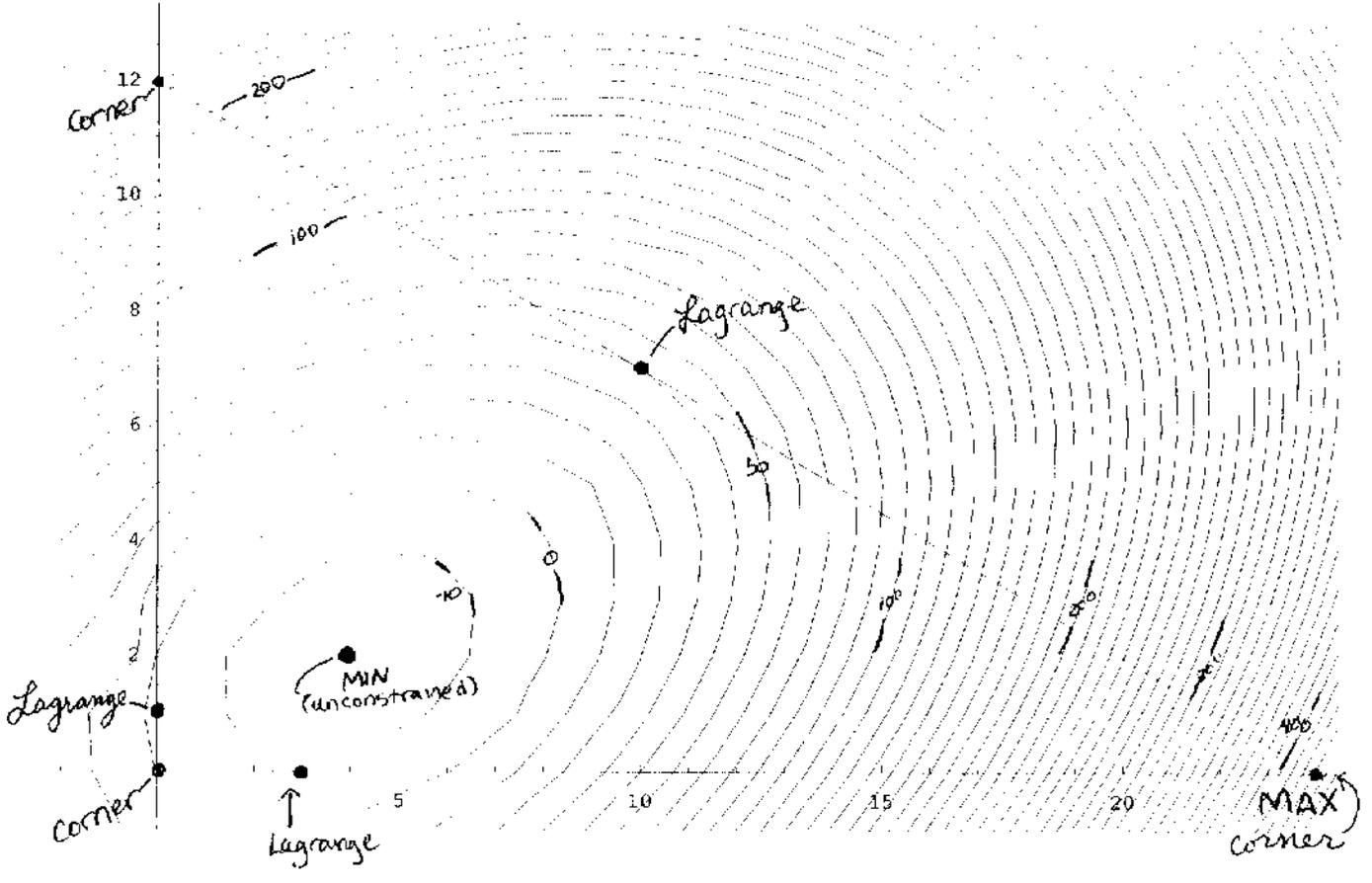
$f(10,7) = 40$

$f(0,0) = 0$

$f(0,12) = 240$

$f(24,0) = 432$ ← Absolute maximum!

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In[108]:= Show[Plot[12 - .5 x, {x, 0, 24}],  
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70, 80, 90, 100, 110, 120, 130, 140, 150, 160, 170, 180, 190, 200,  
210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260, 270, 280, 290, 300, 310, 320, 330,  
340, 350, 360, 370, 380, 390, 400, 410, 420, 430, 440, 450}]];
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⑨ First, let's find solutions to the unconstrained max/min problem

$$\nabla T = (4x, z, y-4)$$

Extrema at $\nabla T = 0 \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 4x=0 \\ z=0 \\ y-4=0 \end{cases}$

So $(0, 4, 0)$ is a possible extrema

Notice this point actually on the ellipsoid: $0^2/4 + 4^2/16 + 0^2/4 = 1$

So let's hope it shows up on our constrained problem!

Now, the constrained problem, subj to $g = x^2/4 + y^2/16 + z^2/4 = 1$

$$\nabla g = (x/2, y/8, z/2)$$

At extrema, $\nabla T = \lambda \nabla g$

$$4x = \lambda/2 x \rightarrow x(4 - \lambda/2) = 0$$

$$z = \lambda/8 y$$

$$y-4 = \lambda/2 z$$

So either $x=0$ or $\lambda/8 = 1$

(if) $\lambda = 8$, then $z = y$

$$\text{so } y-4 = 4z = 4y$$

$$-4/3 = y = z$$

And using constraint, $x^2/4 + \frac{(-4/3)^2}{16} + \frac{(-4/3)^2}{4} = 1$

$$x^2 = 16/9 \rightarrow x = \pm 4/3$$

So candidates for max/min are $(4/3, -4/3, -4/3)$ and $(-4/3, -4/3, -4/3)$

(if) $x=0$, then $z = \lambda/8 y$. Note if $y=0$, then $z=0$, so $0-4=0$ false! So $y \neq 0$, and we can divide

$$\frac{4z}{y} = \lambda/2$$

$$\text{So } y-4 = \left(\frac{4z}{y}\right)z \rightarrow \frac{y^2-4y}{4} = z^2$$

Now applying constraint, $\frac{0^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{16} + \frac{(y^2-4y)}{4} = 1$

$$\frac{1}{8}y^2 - \frac{1}{4}y - 1 = 0 \rightarrow y^2 - 2y - 8 = 0$$

$$y = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4+32}}{2} = \frac{2 \pm 6}{2} = 4, -2$$

$$\text{If } y=4, \text{ then } z^2 = \frac{4^2-4 \cdot 4}{4} = 0. \quad \text{If } y=-2, z^2 = \frac{(-2)^2-4 \cdot (-1)}{4} = 3$$

$$z = \pm \sqrt{3}$$

So candidates are $(0, 4, 0)$ (yay!), and $(0, -2, \sqrt{3})$ and $(0, -2, -\sqrt{3})$

Finally consider corners (none) or points where $\nabla g = 0$: $(x, y, z) = (0, 0, 0)$

Extrema:

$$T(0, 4, 0) = 150$$

$$T(4/3, -4/3, -4/3) \approx 160.67$$

$$T(-4/3, -4/3, -4/3) \approx 160.67$$

$$T(0, -2, \sqrt{3}) \approx 153.46$$

$$T(0, -2, -\sqrt{3}) \approx 146.53$$

$$T(0, 0, 0) = 150$$

— absolute max temperatures at $(\pm 4/3, -4/3, -4/3)$

— min temperature at $(0, -2, -\sqrt{3})$