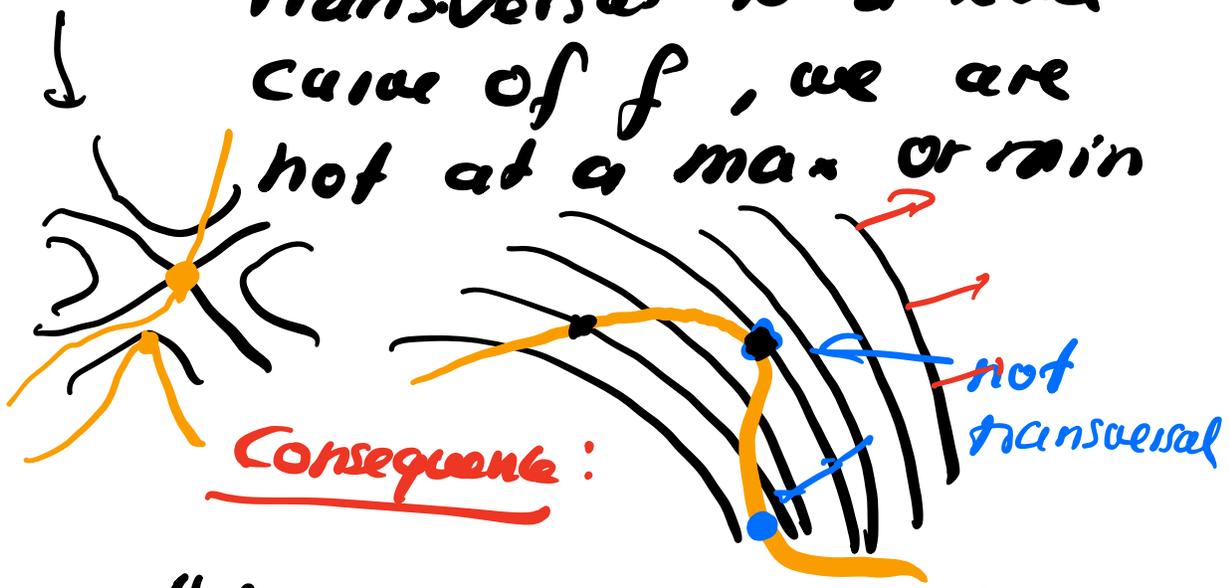


If the constraint is
transversal to a level
curve of f , we are
not at a max or min



At a max or min ∇f is
parallel to ∇g .

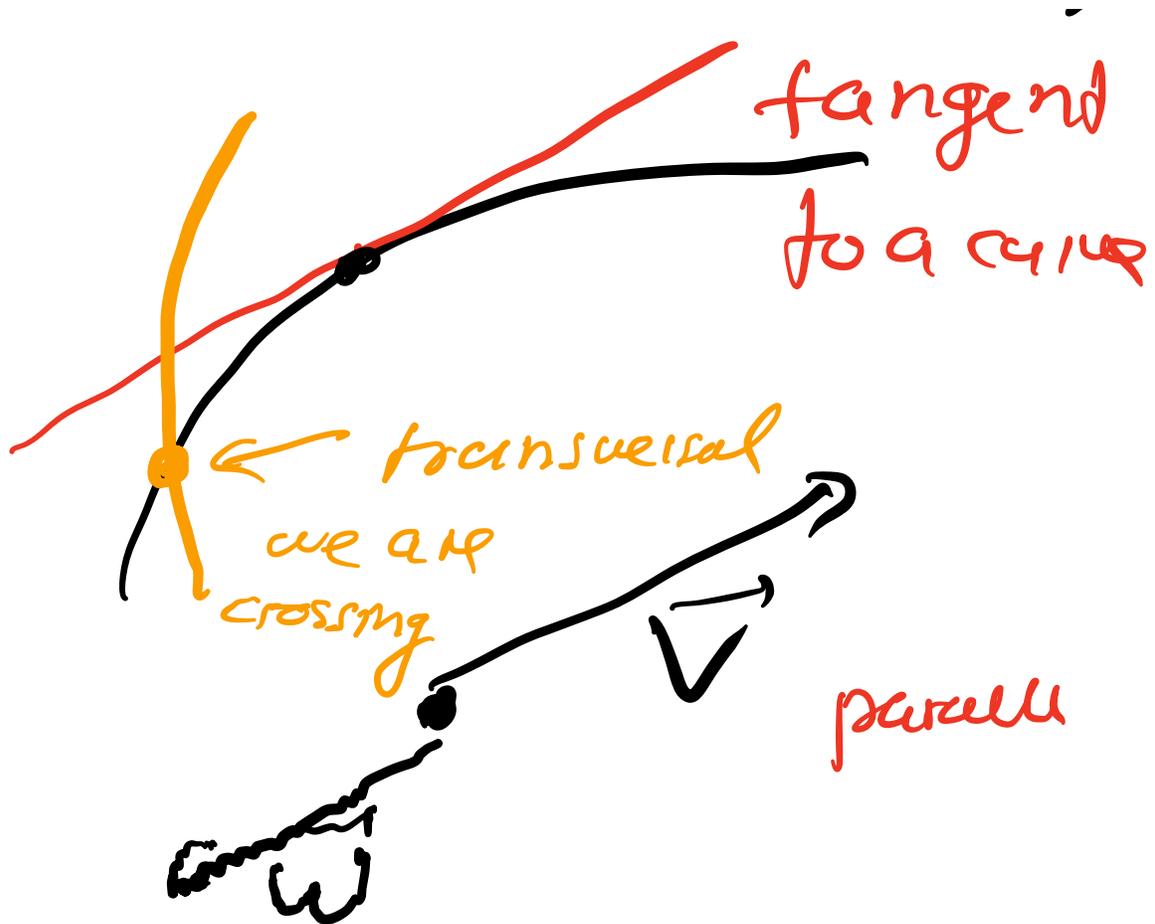
2 equ. $\nabla f = \lambda \nabla g$
1 equ. $g = c$

λ is an additional parameter

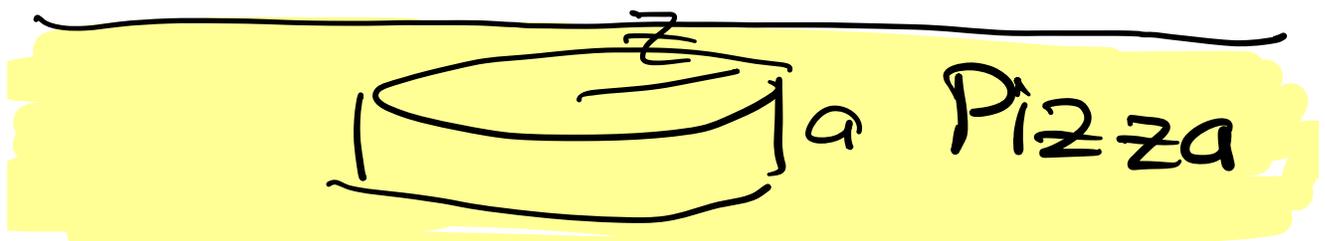
Solutions to this equation give you candidates for maxima and minima.

λ = "Lamdaa"
is the usual name for the constant. It is honoring Lagrange.

Usually, we are not interested in λ . Eliminate it first.



$\vec{v} = \lambda \vec{w}$
 \vec{v} and \vec{w} are
 called parallel.



2)

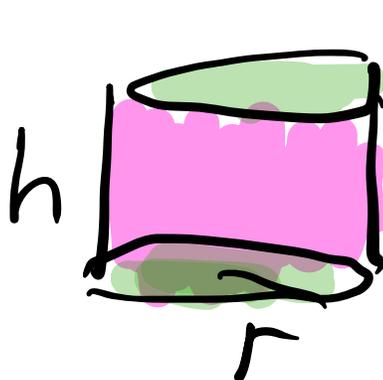
Examples

can

$$V = \pi r^2 h$$

$$A = 2\pi r h$$

$$2\pi r^2 = \pi$$



$$f = V = \pi r^2 h \quad \text{Extremize}$$

$$g = A = 2rh + 2r^2 = 1$$

Lagrange equations

①

$$2\pi r h = \lambda(2h + 4r)$$

②

$$\pi r^2 = \lambda 2r$$

③

$$2rh + 2r^2 = 1$$

Reminder:
of Lagrange
equations,
here $x=r, y=h$

$$\begin{cases} f_x = \lambda g_x \\ f_y = \lambda g_y \\ g(x,y) = c \end{cases}$$

General advise:

Get rid of λ

immediately by

dividing out and

cross multiply.

① ②

$$\frac{2\pi + h}{\pi r^2} = \frac{2h + 4r}{2r}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \left. \begin{array}{l} 4\cancel{\pi}h = 2\cancel{\pi}h + 4r\cancel{\pi} \\ 2rh + 2r^2 = 1 \end{array} \right| \end{array}$$

$r \neq 0 \rightarrow$

$$\begin{array}{|l} \textcircled{4h - 2h} = 4r \\ 2rh + 2r^2 = 1 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{|l} h = 2r \\ 2rh + 2r^2 = 1 \end{array}$$

plugin: $4r^2 + 2r^2 = 1$

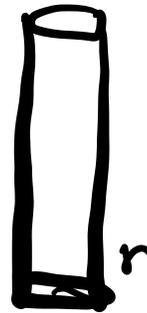
$$6r^2 = 1 \quad \boxed{r = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}}$$

$$\boxed{h = \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}}$$

How would we know whether it is a max or min.

just take any other point.

h small



But usually, especially in exams, we don't ask you to do that,

$$f_x = \lambda g_x$$

$$f_y = \lambda g_y$$

$$f_x \cdot \lambda \cdot g_y = f_y \cdot \lambda \cdot g_x$$

what happens if $\lambda = 0$

then $f_x = 0$, $f_y = 0$.

Mathematically:

$$\nabla f = \lambda \nabla g$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \nabla f \times \nabla g = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} f_x \\ f_y \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} g_x \\ g_y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{matrix} f_x g_y - \\ g_x f_y \end{matrix}$$

③

Entropy

You have a dice with 6 sides.

The probability to hit side k is p_k .

Define the entropy S as $S(p_1, \dots, p_6)$

$$-p_1 \log p_1 - p_2 \log p_2 - p_3 \log p_3 \\ - p_4 \log p_4 - p_5 \log p_5 - p_6 \log p_6$$

$$S = - \sum_{k=1}^n p_k \log p_k$$

Shannon entropy

Boltzmann entropy,

Nature likes to
maximize entropy!

Entropy measures
"disorder".

There is a constraint:

$$p_1 + p_2 + p_3 + p_4 + p_5 + p_6 = 1$$

$$\frac{d}{dp_1} S = \lambda$$

$$\frac{d}{dp_2} S = \lambda$$

$$\frac{d}{dp_6} S = \lambda$$

$$p_1 + p_2 + p_3 + p_4 + p_5 + p_6 = 1$$

Calculus interno,

$$f(x) = -x \log x$$

$$f'(x) = -\log x - 1$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 -\log p_1 &= \lambda \\
 -\log p_2 &= \lambda \\
 &\vdots \\
 -\log p_6 &= \lambda \\
 p_1 + \dots + p_6 &= 1
 \end{aligned}$$

all p_k are the same

So:

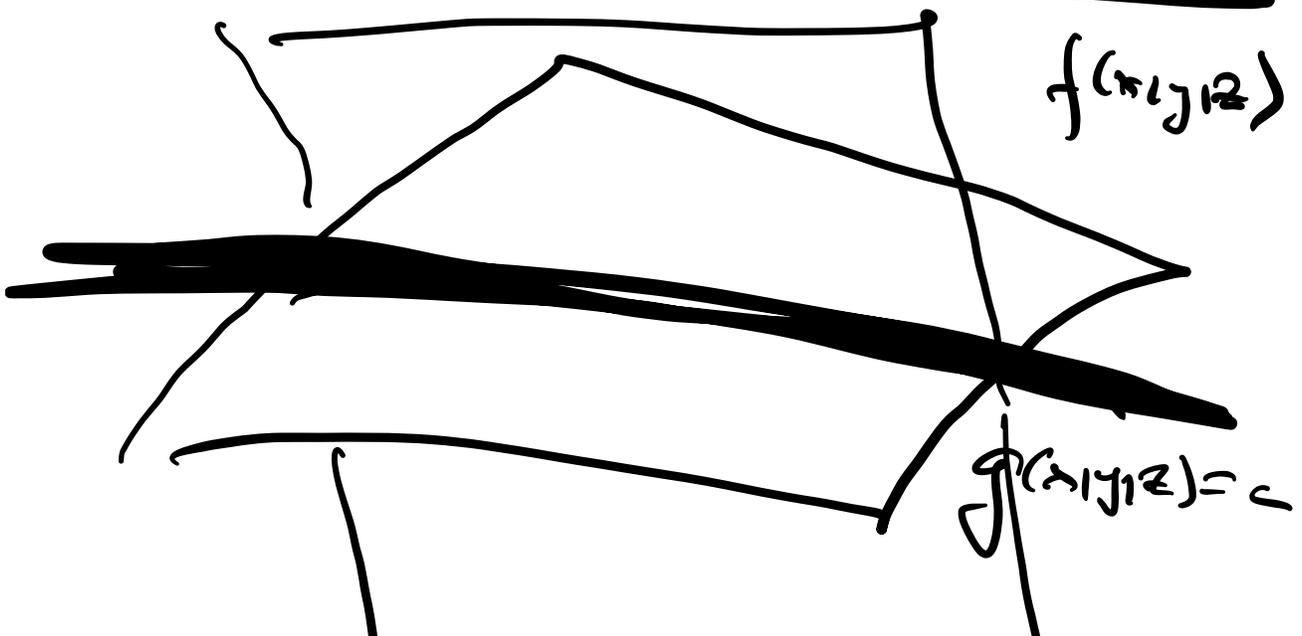
$$\begin{aligned}
 p_1 &= \frac{1}{6} \\
 p_2 &= \frac{1}{6} \\
 &\vdots \\
 p_6 &= \frac{1}{6}
 \end{aligned}$$

In the homework, you look

$$S - E = F$$

↑ ↑ ↑
Entropy energy free energy

→ Gibbs distribution.



$$h(x, y, z) = d$$

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla f &= \lambda \nabla g + \mu \nabla h \\ g &= c \\ h &= d\end{aligned}$$

μ = " μ " is
an other variable.