

GRNLP2

A PACKAGE FOR SOLVING NONLINEAR PROGRAMMING PROBLEMS  
USING A NEW (MINIMAX) APPROACH WITH EFFICIENT GRADIENT  
METHODS

PURPOSE

GRNLP2 is a corrected version of GRADNLP to be used for solving constrained optimization problems. A new technique proposed by Bandler and Charalambous [1] is used to transform the constrained optimization problem into the minimization of an unconstrained objective function. The equality constraint must be treated as two inequality constraints, e.g.,  $\psi(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = 0$  will be treated as  $\psi(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \geq 0$  and  $-\psi(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \geq 0$ . The program is currently limited to 100 inequality constraints.

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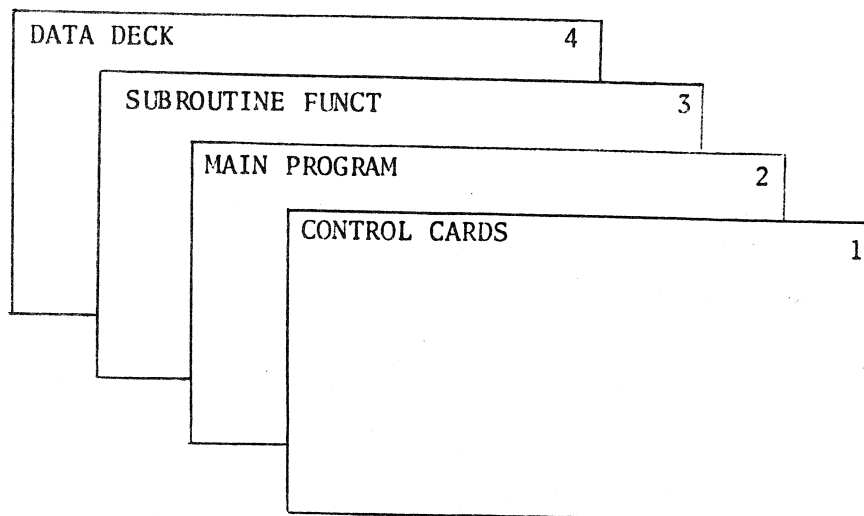
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HOW TO USE

Set up the input deck as follows (McMaster CDC 6400)



1. CONTROL CARDS Use the following set of control cards.

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USER NAME

ATTACH(TAPE, GRNLP2, ID=\*\*\*\*\*, MR=1)<sup>†</sup>

RUN(S,,,,,,X)

LOAD(TAPE)

LGO.

END OF RECORD

PROGRAM TST(INPUT, OUTPUT, TAPE5=INPUT, TAPE6=OUTPUT)

2. MAIN PROGRAM Write the main program as indicated below

- (a) Dimension the following arrays

X(NN), G(NN), X1(NN), X2(NN), G2(NN), PY(NN), ALFA(NN),  
P(NN,NN), Y(NN), PE(NN), BIGV(NN), XSTRT(NN), DUM1(NN),  
DUM2(NN), EPS(N), H(K)

where N = The number of independent variables

$$NN = N + 2$$

$$K = N*(N+7)/2$$

- (b) Supply the values of the following parameters

N = The number of independent variables

$$NN = N + 2$$

KR = 1 if data deck is to be read

= 0 if data deck is not to be read always set

it equal to 1 for the first call of GRNLP2.

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<sup>†</sup> Appropriate identification parameter ID should be inserted in \*\*\*\*\*.

(c) Call subroutine GRNLP2 as follows

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CALL GRNLP2(N, X, XSTRT, X2, X1, G, G2, ALFA, H, P, PY, PE,
           BIGV, EPS, NN, Y, DUM1, DUM2, KR)
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(d) Add STOP and END cards.

3. SUBROUTINE FUNCT This subroutine defines the actual objective function, the inequality constraints, and the gradients of the objective function and the constraints. A subroutine FMINIMAX is then called which combines the objective function and the constraints in a suitable manner to give the unconstrained objective function F and its gradients. The subroutine FUNCT should be written as follows. The actual numerical values of N and NCONS should be substituted in the dimension statements. NCONS is the number of inequality constraints.

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SUBROUTINE FUNCT(N, X, F, G)
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DIMENSION X(1), G(1), PHI(NCONS), GU(N), GPHI(N, NCONS)
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U = f(x1, x2, ..., xn) [The actual objective function]
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PHI(1) = φ1(x1, x2, ..., xn) [The first inequality constraint]
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PHI(2) = φ2(x1, x2, ..., xn)
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PHI(NCONS) = φNCONS(x1, x2, ..., xn)
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GU(1) =  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}$ 
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GU(2) =  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2}$ 
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GU(N) =  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_n}$ 
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GPHI(1,1) =  $\frac{\partial \phi_1}{\partial x_1}$ 
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GPHI(2,1) =  $\frac{\partial \phi_1}{\partial x_2}$ 
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$$\begin{aligned} \text{GPHI}(N,1) &= \frac{\partial \phi_1}{\partial x_n} \\ &\vdots \\ \text{GPHI}(N,2) &= \frac{\partial \phi_2}{\partial x_n} \\ &\vdots \\ \text{GPHI}(N,\text{NCONS}) &= \frac{\partial \phi_{\text{NCONS}}}{\partial x_n} \end{aligned}$$

NCONS = Number of inequality constraints

P = The power to be used in the least pth approximation  
(set = 1.E5 if no information is available)

EPSPHI = A small number used to determine the margin by which constraints may be violated (Set=1.E-5 if no information is available)

CALL FMINMAX(U, GU, PHI, GPHI, N, NCONS, F, G, P, EPSPHI)

RETURN

END

If any other statements are necessary to define the actual objective function and the constraints they may be added to this subroutine, e.g., function U may be defined in another subprogram which may then be called by subroutine FUNCT.

4. DATA DECK Parameters to be supplied as data are defined below

MET1 First method to be called by GRNLP2  
 if MET1=1 New Fletcher method will be called  
 if MET1=2 Jacobson-Oksman method will be called  
 if MET1=3 Fletcher-Powell method will be called  
 if MET1=0 No first method will be called

MET2 Second method to be called by GRNLP2  
 if MET2=1 New Fletcher method will be called  
 if MET2=2 Jacobson-Oksman method will be called

if MET2=3 Fletcher-Powell method will be called  
 if MET2=0 No second method will be called

MET3 Third method to be called by GRNLP2  
 if MET3=1 New Fletcher method will be called  
 if MET3=2 Jacobson-Oksman method will be called  
 if MET3=3 Fletcher-Powell method will be called  
 if MET3=0 No third method will be called

M A parameter to select the starting point; if M=1  
 same starting point is used by all the methods  
 called; for any other value of M each method starts  
 with the optimum left by the last method

MAX Maximum number of permissible iterations

MODE A parameter to choose the stopping criterion for  
 Jacobson-Oksman method  
 if MODE=1 criterion will be  $\Delta F \leq$  a small number  
 if MODE=2 criterion will be  $||\text{gradients}|| \leq$  a  
 small number

IPRINT Intermediate output is printed out every IPRINT  
 iterations; it should be set = 0 if no intermediate  
 output is desired.

IDATA Input data is printed out if IDATA=1; it should be  
 set=0 if input data is not to be printed out

EST Minimum estimated value of the objective function

EPS1 Small test quantity used by the Fletcher-Powell  
 method

ETA(I), I=1,4 Test quantities used by the Jacobson-Oksman method

EPS(I), I=1,N Test quantities used by the New Fletcher method

XSTRT(I), I=1, NN Starting values for variables  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  and  $x_{n+1}, x_{n+2}$ . Two extra variables  $x_{n+1}$  and  $x_{n+2}$  are required by the Jacobson-Oksman method. Suggested starting values for  $x_{n+1}$  and  $x_{n+2}$  are the estimated order of the objective function and the minimum estimated value of the function respectively.

AO Initial value of the positive parameter  $\alpha$  used in the formulation of the unconstrained objective function. It should be set=1.0, if no information is available

BO Initial value of the nonnegative parameter  $\beta$  used in the formulation of the unconstrained objective function. It should be selected in such a way that the actual objective function plus  $\beta$  is always positive.

Recommended values for some of the parameters are

MAX = 100

EPS1 = 1.E-6

ETA(1) = 1.E-4

ETA(2) = 1.E-8

ETA(3) = ETA(4) = 1.E-16

EPS(I), I=1, N Each = 1.E-6

EST A lower bound on the minimum value of the objective function may be obtained from physical reasons if the true minimum is not known, e.g., for approximation problems 0.0 is convenient.

Setting up the data deck

Card No.	Format	Parameters
1	8I5	MET1, MET2, MET3, M, MAX, MODE, IPRINT, IDATA
2	5E16.8	EPS1, (ETA(I), I=1,4)
As many as required	5E16.8	EST, (EPS(I), I=1,N)
As many as required	5E16.8	(XSTRT(I), I=1, NN)
Last	2E16.8	AO, BO

COMMENTS

As explained above any number one, two, or all the three methods and in any order may be called depending upon the values of MET1, MET2 and MET3 chosen by the user. Similarly by choosing the appropriate values of IPRINT and IDATA the user may or may not print out the input data and the intermediate output. Results for some of the problems solved using this package along with the results obtained using the Fiacco-McCormick approach have been included in Appendix A. Appendix B shows the general structure of the package. Though some of the subroutines in this package have exactly the same names as the ones in GRADMIN they are not exactly the same, and for this reason the user must treat the two packages separately and should not try to mix subroutines from one package to another package.

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## APPENDIX A

To minimize (starting points  $x_1=0$ ,  $x_2=0$ ,  $x_3=0$ ,  $x_4=0$ )

$$U = x_1^2 + x_2^2 + 2x_3^2 + x_4^2 - 5x_1 - 5x_2 - 21x_3 + 7x_4,$$

subject to

$$-x_1^2 - x_2^2 - x_3^2 - x_4^2 - x_1 + x_2 - x_3 + x_4 + 8 \geq 0$$

$$-x_1^2 - 2x_2^2 - x_3^2 - 2x_4^2 + x_1 + x_4 + 10 \geq 0$$

$$-2x_1^2 - x_2^2 - x_3^2 - 2x_4^2 + x_2 + x_4 + 5 \geq 0$$

A suitable listing of the input deck, and printouts of the input data and some final results for the Fletcher method are given in Figs. 1-3.

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GSGA.
ATTACH,TAPF,GRNLP2,ID=GSGARNLER,MR=1.
PUN(S,,,,,,,,,X)
LOAD(TAPE)
LGO.
      6400 END OF RECORD
      PROGRAM TST (INPUT,OUTPUT,TAPF5=INPUT,TAPF6=OUTPUT)
      DIMENSION X(6),G(6),X1(6),X2(6),G2(6),PY(6),ALFA(6),P(6,6),
1 Y(6),PF(6),RIGV(6),XSTRT(6),DUM1(6),DUM2(6),FPS(4),H(22)
      N=4
      NN=N+2
      KR=1
      CALL GRNLP2 (N,X,XSTRT,X2,X1,G,G2,ALFA,H,P,PY,PF,RIGV,FPS,NN,
1 Y,DUM1,DUM2,KR)
      STOP
      END
      SUBROUTINE FUNCT (N,X,F,G)
      DIMENSION X(1),G(1),PHI(3),GU(4),GPHI(4,3)
      U=X(1)**2+X(2)**2+2.*X(3)**2+X(4)**2-5.*X(1)-5.*X(2)
1 -21.*X(3)+7.*X(4)
      PHI(1)=-X(1)**2-X(2)**2-X(3)**2-X(4)**2-X(1)+X(2)-X(3)+X(4)+8.
      PHI(2)=-X(1)**2-2.*X(2)**2-X(3)**2-2.*X(4)**2+X(1)+X(4)+10.
      PHI(3)=-2.*X(1)**2-X(2)**2-X(3)**2-2.*X(1)+X(2)+X(4)+5.
      GU(1)=2.*X(1)-5.
      GU(2)=2.*X(2)-5.
      GU(3)=4.*X(3)-21.
      GU(4)=2.*X(4)+7.
      GPHI(1,1) =-2.*X(1)-1.
      GPHI(2,1)=-2.*X(2)+1.
      GPHI(3,1) =-2.*X(3)-1.
      GPHI(4,1)=-2.*X(4)+1.
      GPHI(1,2)=-2.*X(1)+1.
      GPHI(2,2)=-4.*X(2)
      GPHI(3,2)=-2.*X(3)
      GPHI(4,2)=-4.*X(4)+1.
      GPHI(1,3)=-4.*X(1)-2.
      GPHI(2,3)=-2.*X(2)+1.
      GPHI(3,3)=-2.*X(3)
      GPHI(4,3)=1.
      NCONS=3
      P=1.E5
      EPSPHI=1.E-5
      CALL FMINMAX (U,GU,PHI,GPHI,N,NCONS,F,G,P,EPSPHI)
      RETURN
      END
      6400 END OF RECORD
      1      0      0      1      100      2      1      1
1.000000000E-09  1.000000000E-06  1.000000000E-08  1.000000000E-16  1.000000000E-16
      0.          1.000000000E-05  1.000000000E-05  1.000000000E-05  1.000000000E-05
      0.          0.          0.          0.
      10.          100.
      END OF FILE

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Fig. 1

INPUT DATA  
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FOLLOWING METHODS HAVE BEEN CALLED

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NEW FLETCHER METHOD
NUMBER OF INDEPENDENT VARIABLES.....N= 4
MAXIMUM NUMBER OF ALLOWABLE ITERATIONS.....MAX= 100
INTERMEDIATE OUTPUT TO BE PRINTED EVERY IPRINT= 1
STARTING POINT TO BE SAME FOR ALL THE METHODS IF M=1.....M= 1
STARTING VALUE FOR VECTOR X(I).....XSTRT( 1)= 0.
XSTRT( 2)= 0.
XSTRT( 3)= 0.
XSTRT( 4)= 0.

TEST QUANTITIES TO BE USED IN JACOBSON-OKSMAN METHOD.....ETA( 1)= 1.00000000E-06
ETA( 2)= 1.00000000E-08
ETA( 3)= 1.00000000E-16
ETA( 4)= 1.00000000E-16

TEST QUANTITIES TO BE USED IN NEW FLETCHER METHOD.....EPS( 1)= 1.00000000E-05
EPS( 2)= 1.00000000E-05
EPS( 3)= 1.00000000E-05
EPS( 4)= 1.00000000E-05

TEST QUANTITY TO BE USED IN FLETCHER-POWELL METHOD.....EPS1= 1.00000000E-09
ESTIMATE OF LOWER BOUND ON FUNCTION TO BE MINIMIZED.....EST= 0.
INITIAL VALUE OF THE PARAMETER ALPHA.....A0= 1.00000000E+01
INITIAL VALUE OF THE PARAMETER BETA.....B0= 1.00000000E+02
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Fig. 2

FOLLOWING IS THE OPTIMUM SOLUTION

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ARTIFICIAL UNCONSTRAINED FUNCTION F = 5.60004490E+01

ACTUAL OBJECTIVE FUNCTION U = -4.39997505E+01

X( 1) = -8.02472573E-06

X( 2) = 1.00000257E+00

X( 3) = 1.99999039E+00

X( 4) = -9.99981595E-01

INEQUALITY CONSTRAINTS

PHI( 1) = 1.08779855E-04

PHI( 2) = 1.000011221E+00

PHI( 3) = 7.03719762E-05

NUMBER OF FUNCTION EVALUATIONS = 96

FINAL VALUE OF THE PARAMETER ALPHA = 1.00000000E+01

FINAL VALUE OF THE PARAMETER BETA = 1.00000000E+02

EXECUTION TIME IN SECONDS = 1.94600

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Fig. 3

## APPENDIX B

To minimize (starting points  $x_1=0.5$ ,  $x_2=0.5$ ,  $x_3=0.5$ )

$$U = 9 - 8x_1 - 6x_2 - 4x_3 + 2x_1^2 + 2x_2^2 + x_3^2 + 2x_1x_2 + 2x_1x_3$$

subject to  $x_1 \geq 0$ ,  $x_2 \geq 0$ ,  $x_3 \geq 0$  and  $x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 \leq 3$

A suitable listing of the input deck, and printouts of the input data and some final results of the Fletcher-Powell method are given in Figs. 4-6.

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GSGA.
ATTACH,TAPF,GRNLP2,JD=GSGABNLER,MR=1.
DIM(5,.,.,.,.,X)
LOAD(TAPF)
LGO.
      6400 END OF RECORD
PROGRAM TST (INPUT,OUTPUT,TAPF5=INPUT,TAPF6=OUTPUT)
DIMENSION X(5),G(5),X1(5),X2(5),G2(5),PY(5),ALFA(5),P(5,5),
1 Y(5),PF(5),BIGV(5),XSTR1(5),DUM1(5),DUM2(5),EPS(3),H(15)
N=2
NN=N+2
KP=1
CALL GRNLP2 (N,X,XSTR1,X2,X1,G,G2,ALFA,H,P,PY,PF,BIGV,EPS,NN,Y,
1 DUM1,DUM2,KP)
STOP
END
SUBROUTINE FUNCT (N,X,F,G)
DIMENSION X(1),G(1),PHI(4),GU(3),GPHI(3,4)
U=0.-8.*X(1)-6.*X(2)-4.*X(3)+2.*X(1)**2+2.*X(2)**2+X(3)**2
1 +2.*X(1)*X(2)+2.*X(1)*X(3)
PHI(1)=X(1)
PHI(2)=X(2)
PHI(3)=X(3)
PHI(4)=3.-X(1)-X(2)-2.*X(3)
GU(1)=-8.+4.*X(1)+2.*X(2)+2.*X(3)
GU(2)=-6.+4.*X(2)+2.*X(1)
GU(3)=-4.+2.*X(3)+2.*X(1)
GPHI(1,1)= 1.
GPHI(2,1)= 0.
GPHI(3,1)= 0.
GPHI(1,2)= 0.
GPHI(2,2)= 1.
GPHI(3,2)=0.
GPHI(1,3)= 0.
GPHI(2,3)= 0.
GPHI(3,3)= 1.
GPHI(1,4)=-1.
GPHI(2,4)=-1.
GPHI(3,4)=-2.
NCONS=4
P=1.FF
EPSPHI=1.F-5
CALL FMINMAX(U,GU,PHI,GPHI,N,NCONS,F,G,P,EPSPHI)
RETURN
END
      6400 END OF RECORD
      3      0      0      1      100      2      1      1
1.000000000E-06  1.000000000E-06  1.000000000E-08  1.000000000E-16  1.000000000E-16
0.              1.000000000E-05  1.000000000E-05  1.000000000E-05
0.5            0.5
1.              0.
      END OF FILE

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INPUT DATA  
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FOLLOWING METHODS HAVE BEEN CALLED

FLETCHER-POWELL METHOD

NUMBER OF INDEPENDENT VARIABLES.....N= 3  
MAXIMUM NUMBER OF ALLOWABLE ITERATIONS.....MAX= 100

INTERMEDIATE OUTPUT TO BE PRINTED EVERY IPRINT= 1

STARTING POINT TO BE SAME FOR ALL THE METHODS IF M=1.....M= 1

STARTING VALUE FOR VECTOR K(I).....XSTR1( 1)= 5.00000000E-01  
XSTR1( 2)= 5.00000000E-01  
XSTR1( 3)= 5.00000000E-01

TEST QUANTITIES TO BE USED IN JACOBSON-OKSMAN METHOD.....ETA( 1)= 1.00000000E-06  
ETA( 2)= 1.00000000E-08  
ETA( 3)= 1.00000000E-16  
ETA( 4)= 1.00000000E-16

TEST QUANTITIES TO BE USED IN NEW FLETCHER METHOD.....EPS( 1)= 1.00000000E-05  
EPS( 2)= 1.00000000E-05  
EPS( 3)= 1.00000000E-05

TEST QUANTITY TO BE USED IN FLETCHER-POWELL METHOD.....EPS1= 1.00000000E-06  
ESTIMATE OF LOWER BOUND ON FUNCTION TO BE MINIMIZED.....EST= 0.

INITIAL VALUE OF THE PARAMETER ALPHA.....AC= 1.00000000E+00

INITIAL VALUE OF THE PARAMETER BETA.....BC= 0.

Fig. 5

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FOLLOWING IS THE OPTIMUM SOLUTION

ARTIFICIAL UNCONSTRAINED FUNCTION F = 1.1111170E-01

ACTUAL OBJECTIVE FUNCTION U = 1.1111142E-01

X( 1) = 1.33333380E+00

X( 2) = 7.77777469E-01

X( 3) = 4.44443671E-01

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INEQUALITY CONSTRAINTS

PHI( 1) = 1.33333380E+00

PHI( 2) = 7.77777469E-01

PHI( 3) = 4.44443671E-01

PHI( 4) = 1.39196652E-06

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NUMBER OF FUNCTION EVALUATIONS = 58

FINAL VALUE OF THE PARAMETER ALPHA = 1.00000000E+00

FINAL VALUE OF THE PARAMETER BETA = 0.

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EXECUTION TIME IN SECONDS = .70800

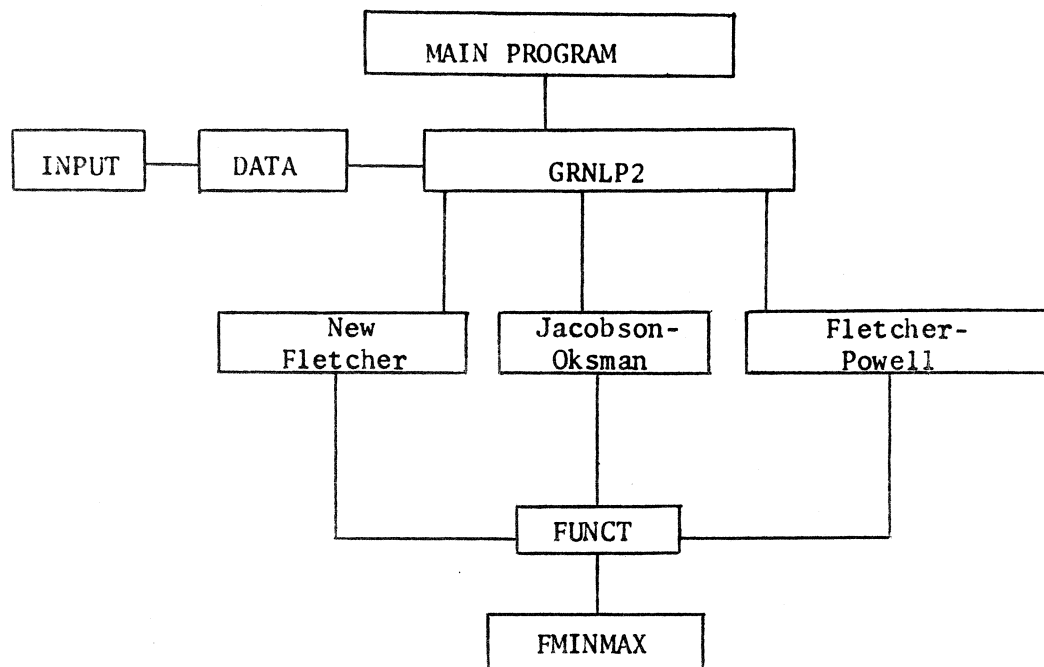
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Fig. 6



## APPENDIX C

The general structure of the package is



Attached is the complete FORTRAN listing of the package.

	SUBROUTINE FMINMAX (U,GU,PHI,GPHI,N,NCONS,F,G,P,EPSPHI)	A	1
	DIMENSION GU(1), PHI(1), GPHI(N,1), G(1), A(101),QUA(101)	A	2
	COMMON /SPL/ ALPHA,BETA,IFLAGA,IFLAGB,ICHEK,AB,KKK	A	3
	COMMON /BLK2/ UR,NC,PPHI(100)	A	4
	UR=U	A	5
	NC=NCONS	A	6
	IFLAGA=0	A	7
	SUM=0.0	A	8
	IFLAGB=1.0	A	9
	UU=U+BETA	A	10
	IF (UU.GE.0.) IFLAGR=0	A	11
	IF (NCONS.EQ.0.OR.ALPHA.EQ.0.) GO TO 8	A	12
	DO 1 I=1,NCONS	A	13
	A(I)=UU-ALPHA*PHI(I)	A	14
1	CONTINUE	A	15
	NT=NCONS+1	A	16
	A(NT)=UU	A	17
	DO 2 I=1,NT	A	18
	IF (A(I).GE.0.) IFLAGB=0	A	19
	CONTINUE	A	20
	IF (IFLAGB.EQ.1) GO TO 7	A	21
	UM=0.	A	22
	DO 3 I=1,NT	A	23
	UM=AMAX1(UM,A(I))	A	24
2	CONTINUE	A	25
	DO 4 I=1,NCONS	A	26
	QUA(I)=AMAX1(0.,A(I))	A	27
	QUAD=QUA(I)/UM	A	28
	QUADP=QUAD**P	A	29
	SUM=SUM+QUADP	A	30
4	CONTINUE	A	31
	UU=AMAX1(0.,UU)	A	32
	SUMT=SUM+((UU/UM)**P)	A	33
	F=UM*((SUMT**(1./P)))	A	34
	DO 6 I=1,N	A	35
	SUM2=0.0	A	36
	DO 5 J=1,NCONS	A	37
	TEMP=QUA(J)/UM	A	38
	SUM2=SUM2+(TEMP**(P-1.))*(GU(I)-ALPHA*GPHI(I,J))	A	39
5	CONTINUE	A	40
	G(I)=((SUMT**(1./P-1.))*(((UU/UM)**(P-1.))*GU(I))+SUM2)	A	41
6	CONTINUE	A	42
	GO TO 11	A	43
7	CONTINUE	A	44
	BETA=BETA+AB	A	45
	GO TO 11	A	46
8	IF (IFLAGB.EQ.1) GO TO 10	A	47
	F=UU	A	48
	DO 9 I=1,N	A	49
	G(I)=GU(I)	A	50
9	CONTINUE	A	51
	GO TO 11	A	52
10	BETA=BETA+AB	A	53
11	CONTINUE	A	54
	IF (ICHEK.EQ.0) GO TO 13	A	55
	DO 12 I=1,NCONS	A	56
	PPHI(I)=PHI(I)	A	57
	PHIT=PHI(I)+EPSPHI	A	58
	IF (PHIT.LT.0.) IFLAGA=1	A	59

12 CONTINUE  
13 CONTINUE  
RETURN  
END

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A 61  
A 62  
A 63-

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	SUBROUTINE GRNLP2 (N,X,XSTRT,X2,X1,G,G2,ALFA,H,P,PY,PF,RIGV,FPS,N	P	1
	1N,Y,DUM1,DUM2,KR)	B	2
	COMMON /BLK/ KO	B	3
	COMMON /SPL/ ALPHA,BETA,IFLAGA,IFLAGB,ICHEK,AB,KKK	B	4
	EXTERNAL FUNCT	B	5
	LOGICAL CONV,UNITH	B	6
	DIMENSION DUM1(1), DUM2(1)	B	7
	DIMENSION X(1), XSTRT(1), X2(1), X1(1), G(1), G2(1), ALFA(1), H(1)	R	8
	1, P(NN,1), Y(1), PY(1), PF(1), RIGV(1), FPS(1), FTA(4)	R	9
	UNITH=.TRUE.	R	10
	ICHEK=0	B	11
	IF (KR.EQ.0) GO TO 1	B	13
	CALL DATA (N,NN,XSTRT,FST,FPS1,FTA,MET1,MET2,MET3,M,MAX,MODE,I	B	14
	PRINT,FPS,AO,BO)	R	15
	AR=BO	R	16
1	DO 2 I=1,NN	B	17
	X(I)=XSTRT(I)	B	18
2	CONTINUE	R	19
	IF (MET1.EQ.0) MET1=4	B	20
	IF (MET2.EQ.0) MET2=4	B	21
	IF (MET3.EQ.0) MET3=4	B	22
	INDEX=0	B	23
	GO TO (5,12,20,27), MET1	R	24
2	GO TO (5,12,20,27), MET2	R	25
4	GO TO (5,12,20,27), MET3	R	26
5	IF (IPRINT.EQ.0) GO TO 6	R	27
	CALL WRITE1 (1)	B	28
6	CONTINUE	R	29
	KKK=0	B	30
	CALL SECOND (T1)	R	31
	IF (KR.NE.0) GO TO 8	R	32
	DO 7 I=1,NN	R	33
	X(I)=DUM1(I)	B	34
7	CONTINUE	R	35
8	CONTINUE	R	36
	ICHEK=0	B	37
	ALPHA=AO	B	38
	BETA=BO	B	39
9	CONTINUE	R	40
	KKK=KKK+1	B	41
	CALL VMMO1 (N,X,F,G,H,UNITH,FST,FPS,MAXEN,IPRINT,IEXIT,PF)	R	42
	ICHEK=1	R	43
	IF (IFLAGB.EQ.1) GO TO 9	B	44
	CALL FUNCT (N,X,F,G)	B	45
	IF (IFLAGA.EQ.0) GO TO 10	B	46
	ALPHA=ALPHA*10.	B	47
	GO TO 9	R	48
10	CONTINUE	R	49
	DO 11 I=1,NN	R	50
	DUM1(I)=X(I)	R	51
11	CONTINUE	B	52
	CALL SECOND (T2)	R	53
	CALL FINAL (X,F,N)	B	54
	T=T2-T1	B	55
	WRITE (6,32) T	R	56
	GO TO 27	B	57
12	IF (IPRINT.EQ.0) GO TO 13	R	58
	CALL WRITE1 (2)	R	59

13	CONTINUE	B	60
	KKK=0	B	61
	CALL SECOND (T1)	B	62
	IF (KR.NE.0) GO TO 15	B	63
	DO 14 I=1,NN	B	64
	X(I)=X2(I)	B	65
14	CONTINUE	B	66
15	CONTINUE	B	67
	ICHEK=0	B	68
	ALPHA=A0	B	69
	BETA=B0	B	70
16	CONTINUE	B	71
	KKK=KKK+1	B	72
	CALL THETA (X,N,ETA,EST,MAX,MODE,X2,X1,G,G2,ALFA,H,P,Y,PY,PF,PIGV, 1EPS1,NN,IPRINT,F2)	B	73
	ICHEK=1	B	74
	IF (IFLAGR.EQ.1) GO TO 17	B	75
	CALL FUNCT (N,X,F,G)	B	76
	IF (IFLAGA.EQ.0) GO TO 19	B	77
	ALPHA=ALPHA*10.	B	78
17	DO 18 I=1,NN	B	79
	X(I)=X2(I)	B	80
18	CONTINUE	B	81
	GO TO 16	B	82
19	CONTINUE	B	83
	CALL SECOND (T2)	B	84
	CALL FINAL (X2,F2,N)	B	85
	T=T2-T1	B	86
	WRITE (6,32) T	B	87
	GO TO 27	B	88
20	IF (IPRINT.EQ.0) GO TO 21	B	89
	CALL WRITE1 (3)	B	90
21	CONTINUE	B	91
	KKK=0	B	92
	CALL SECOND (T1)	B	93
	IF (KR.NE.0) GO TO 23	B	94
	DO 22 I=1,NN	B	95
	X(I)=DUM2(I)	B	96
22	CONTINUE	B	97
23	CONTINUE	B	98
	ICHEK=0	B	99
	ALPHA=A0	B	100
	BETA=B0	B	101
24	CONTINUE	B	102
	KKK=KKK+1	B	103
	CALL EMER (FUNCT,N,X,F,G,EST,EPS1,MAX,IFR,H,IPRINT)	B	104
	ICHEK=1	B	105
	IF (IFLAGR.EQ.1) GO TO 24	B	106
	CALL FUNCT (N,X,F,G)	B	107
	IF (IFLAGA.EQ.0) GO TO 25	B	108
	ALPHA=ALPHA*10.	B	109
	GO TO 24	B	110
25	CONTINUE	B	111
	DO 26 I=1,NN	B	112
	DUM2(I)=X(I)	B	113
26	CONTINUE	B	114
	CALL SECOND (T2)	B	115
	CALL FINAL (X,F,N)	B	116
		B	117

	T=T2-T1	B 118
	WRITE (6,32) T	B 119
27	INDEX=INDEX+1	P 120
	IF (M.EQ.1) GO TO 28	P 121
	GO TO 30	B 122
28	DO 29 I=1,NN	B 123
	X(I)=XSTRT(I)	B 124
29	CONTINUE	B 125
30	CONTINUE	B 126
	GO TO (3,4,31), INDEX	B 127
31	CONTINUE	B 128
	RETURN	B 129
C		P 130
C		B 131
C		B 132
32	FORMAT (1H0, //25X, *EXECUTION TIME IN SECONDS=*, F10.5)	B 133
	END	B 134-

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SUBROUTINE DATA (N,NN,XSTRT,EST,EPS1,ETA,MET1,MET2,MET3,M,MAX,MODE
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DIMENSION XSTRT(1), EPS(1), ETA(1)
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FORMAT (8I5)
FORMAT (5E16.8)
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	SUBROUTINE FINAL (X,F,N)	D	1
	DIMENSION X(1)	D	2
	COMMON /SPL/ ALPHA,BETA,IFLAGA,IFLAGB,ICHEK,AB,KKK	D	3
	COMMON /BLK/ K0	D	4
	COMMON /BLK1/ NUMF	D	5
	COMMON /BLK2/ UR,NC,PPHI(100)	D	6
	WRITE (6,9)	D	7
	IF (K0.EQ.0) GO TO 1	D	8
	WRITE (6,10)	D	9
	GO TO 2	D	10
1	WRITE (6,11)	D	11
2	CONTINUE	D	12
	WRITE (6,12) F	D	13
	WRITE (6,3) UR	D	14
	WRITE (6,13) (I,X(I),I=1,N)	D	15
	WRITE (6,4)	D	16
	WRITE (6,5) (I,PPHI(I),I=1,NC)	D	17
	WRITE (6,6) NUMF	D	18
	WRITE (6,7) ALPHA	D	19
	WRITE (6,8) BETA	D	20
	RETURN	D	21
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		D	24
3	FORMAT (1H0,21X,*ACTUAL OBJECTIVE FUNCTION U =*,E16.8,/)	D	25
4	FORMAT (1H0,/,21X,*INEQUALITY CONSTRAINTS*,/)	D	26
5	FORMAT (43X,*PHI(*,I2,*)=*,E16.8)	D	27
6	FORMAT (1H0,/,19X,*NUMBER OF FUNCTION EVALUATIONS =*,I5)	D	28
7	FORMAT (1H0,/,15X,*FINAL VALUE OF THE PARAMETER ALPHA =*,E16.8)	D	29
8	FORMAT (1H0,/,15X,*FINAL VALUE OF THE PARAMETER BETA =*,E16.8)	D	30
9	FORMAT (1H1)	D	31
10	FORMAT (1H0,25X,*FOLLOWING IS THE OPTIMUM SOLUTION*,/,26X,*-----	D	32
	1-----*)	D	33
11	FORMAT (1H0,29X,*RESULTS AT LAST ITERATION*/,30X,*-----	D	34
	1-----*)	D	35
12	FORMAT (1H0,/,14X,*ARTIFICIAL UNCONSTRAINED FUNCTION F =*,E16.8,/	D	36
	1)	D	37
13	FORMAT (1H0,44X,*X(*,I2,*)=*,E16.8)	D	38
	END	D	39-



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SUBROUTINE VMM01 (N,X,F,G,H,UNITH,FEST,EPS,MAXFN,IPRINT,IFXIT,PF)
DIMENSION PE(1)
DIMENSION X(1), G(1), H(1), EPS(1)
COMMON /BLK1/ NFNS
COMMON /SPL/ ALPHA,BETA,IFLAGA,IFLAGB,ICHEK,AB,KKK
LOGICAL CONV,UNITH
COMMON /BLK/ KO
KO=0
CALL FUNCT (N,X,F,G)
IF (IFLAGB.EQ.1) RETURN
IF (F.LT.FEST) GO TO 26
IF (KKK.NE.1) GO TO 1
NFNS=1
ITN=0
CALL SECOND (T3)
CONTINUE
STEP=1.
IDX=N
IDG=N+N
IH=IDG+N
IF (.NOT.UNITH) GO TO 3
IJ=IH+1
DO 2 I=1,N
DO 2 J=I,N
H(IJ)=0.
IF (I.EQ.J) H(IJ)=1.0
IJ=IJ+1
CONV=.TRUE.
GDX=0.
DO 7 I=1,N
Z=0.
IJ=I+I
IF (I.EQ.1) GO TO 5
II=I-1
DO 4 J=1,II
Z=Z-H(IJ)*G(J)
IJ=IJ+N-J
CONTINUE
DO 6 J=I,N
Z=Z-H(IJ)*G(J)
IJ=IJ+1
CONTINUE
IF (ABS(Z).GT.EPS(I)) CONV=.FALSE.
H(IDX+I)=Z
GDX=GDX+G(I)*Z
CONTINUE
DO 8 I=1,N
PE(I)=X(I)
CONTINUE

IF (IPRINT.EQ.0) GO TO 10
IF (MOD(ITN,IPRINT).NE.0) GO TO 10
CALL SECOND (T4)
TIME=T4-T3
IF (KKK.NE.1) GO TO 9
CALL WRITE2 (X,N,G,F,NFNS,ITN,TIME)
KKK=1
IEXIT=1
IF (CONV) GO TO 27
IEXIT=2
IF (GDX.GE.0.) GO TO 27
Z=1.
IF (ITN.LT.N.AND.UNITH) Z=STEP
W=2.*(FEST-F)/GDX
IF (W.LT.Z) Z=W
STEP=Z
GDX=GDX*Z
DO 12 I=1,N
H(IDX+I)=H(IDX+I)*Z
X(I)=X(I)+H(IDX+I)
CONTINUE
CALL FUNCT (N,X,F,H)
IF (IFLAGB.EQ.1) RETURN
IF (FP.LT.FEST) GO TO 26
NFNS=NFNS+1
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IF (ITN.EQ.MAXFN) GO TO 27
GPDX=0.
DO 13 I=1,N
H(IDG+I)=H(I)-G(I)
GPDX=GPDX+H(I)*H(IDX+I)
CONTINUE
DGDY=GPDY-GDY
IF (F.GT.FP-.0001*GDY) GO TO 15
IEXIT=4
IF (GPDY.LT.0..AND.ITN.GT.N) GO TO 27
Z=3.*(F-FP)+GPDY+GDY
W=SQRT(1.-GDY/Z*GPDY/Z)*ABS(Z)
Z=1.-(GPDY+W-Z)/(DGDY+2.*W)
IF (Z.LT.0.1) Z=0.1
DO 14 I=1,N
X(I)=X(I)-H(IDX+I)
CONTINUE
GO TO 17
F=FP
DO 16 I=1,N
G(I)=H(I)
CONTINUE
IF (DGDY.GT.0.) GO TO 18
GDY=GPDY
Z=4.
STEP=Z*STEP
GO TO 11
IF (GPDY.LT.0.5*GDY) STEP=2.*STEP
DGHDG=0.
DO 22 I=1,N
Z=0.
IJ=IH+I
IF (I.EQ.1) GO TO 20
II=I-1
DO 19 J=1,II
Z=Z+H(IJ)*H(IDG+J)
IJ=IJ+N-J
CONTINUE
DO 21 J=1,N
Z=Z+H(IJ)*H(IDG+J)
IJ=IJ+1
CONTINUE
DGHDG=DGHDG+Z*H(IDG+I)
H(I)=Z
CONTINUE
IF (DGHDG.LT.0.0) DGHDG=DGDY*0.01
IF (DGDY.LT.DGHDG) GO TO 24
W=1.0+DGHDG/DGDY
DO 23 I=1,N
H(IDX+I)=W*H(IDX+I)-H(I)
CONTINUE
DGDY=DGDY+DGHDG
DGHDG=DGDY
IJ=IH
DO 25 I=1,N
W=H(IDX+I)/DGDY
Z=H(I)/DGHDG
DO 25 J=I,N
IJ=IJ+1
H(IJ)=H(IJ)+W*H(IDX+J)-Z*H(J)
ITN=ITN+1
GO TO 3
IEXIT=5
IF (IEXIT.EQ.1) KO=1
IF (IEXIT.NE.4) GO TO 29
DO 28 I=1,N
X(I)=PE(I)
CONTINUE
CONTINUE
IF (IPRINT.EQ.0) RETURN
GO TO (30,31,32,31,33), IEXIT
WRITE (6,35) IEXIT
GO TO 34
WRITE (6,36) IEXIT

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32 GO TO 34
   WRITE (6,37) IEXIT
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33 WRITE (6,38) IEXIT
34 CONTINUE
   RETURN

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35 FORMAT (/,1H0,*IEXIT=*,I2,**CRITERION FOR OPTIMUM (CHANGE IN VECTOR
1 X .LT.EPS) HAS BEEN SATISFIED*)
36 FORMAT (/,1H0,*IEXIT=*,I2,**EITHER OF THE FOLLOWING THINGS HAS HAPP
1 ENED*/,9X,*1. EPS CHOSEN IS TOO SMALL*/,9X,*2. GRADIENTS ARE NOT
2 CORRECT*/,9X,*3. MATRIX H GOES SINGULAR*)
37 FORMAT (/,1H0,*IEXIT=*,I2,**MAXIMUM NUMBER OF ALLOWABLE ITERATION H
1 AS BEEN EXCEEDED*)
38 FORMAT (/,1H0,*IEXIT=*,I2,**FUNCTION VALUE LESS THAN MINIMUM ESTIMA
1 TED HAS BEEN DETECTED*)
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15 DO 15 I=1,NDIM
V=V+X2(I)*G2(I)
CONTINUE
YA=0.
DO 16 I=1,N1
YA=YA+Y(I)*ALFA(I)
16 CONTINUE
VYA=V-YA
BIGV(KOUNT)=V
DO 17 I=1,N1
PY(I)=0.
PE(I)=P(I,KOUNT)
DO 17 J=1,N1
17 PY(I)=PY(I)+P(J,I)*Y(J)
EPY=PY(KOUNT)
IF (ABS(FPY).LT.ETA(3)) GO TO 33
PY(KOUNT)=PY(KOUNT)-1.
DO 18 I=1,N1
DO 18 J=1,N1
18 P(I,J)=P(I,J)-PE(I)*PY(J)/EPY
DO 19 I=1,N1
ALFA(I)=0.
DO 19 J=1,N1
19 ALFA(I)=ALFA(I)+P(I,J)*BIGV(J)
DEL=0.
DO 20 I=1,NDIM
20 DEL=DEL+G2(I)*(X2(I)-ALFA(I))
CONTINUE
IF (ABS(DEL).GT.ETA(4)) GO TO 21
IF (IFLAG.EQ.1) GO TO 31
IFLAG=1
GO TO 33
21 IFLAG=0
DO 22 I=1,N1
H(I)=X2(I)-ALFA(I)
IF (DEL.GT.0) H(I)=-H(I)
22 CONTINUE
DO 23 I=1,NDIM
23 X1(I)=X2(I)
G1(I)=G2(I)
CONTINUE
F1=F2
X1(N2)=X2(N2)
X1(N1)=X2(N1)
X2(N2)=ALFA(N2)
X2(N1)=ALFA(N1)
CALL MIN1D (FUNCT,X2,H,RO,NDIM,F2,G2,NUMF,IER,EPS,EST)
IF (IER.NE.0) GO TO 32
IF (DEL.GT.0) RO=-RO
GG=0.
DO 24 I=1,NDIM
24 GG=GG+G2(I)*G2(I)
CONTINUE
GG=SQRT(GG)
KOUNT=KOUNT+1
M=M+1
KK=KK+1
IF (KK.NE.IPRINT) GO TO 25
KK=0
CALL SECOND (T4)
TIME=T4-T3
CALL WRITE2 (X2,NDIM,G2,F2,NUMF,M,TIME)
25 CONTINUE
IF (M.GT.MAX) GO TO 28
IF (MODE.EQ.2) GO TO 26
IF (((F1-F2).LE.FTA(2))) GO TO 29
GO TO 27
26 IF ((GG.LT.ETA(1))) GO TO 30
27 CONTINUE
IF (KOUNT.LE.N1) GO TO 13
GO TO 12
28 WRITE (6,37)
GO TO 32
29 KO=1

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      IF (IPRINT.EQ.0) RETURN
      WRITE (6,38)
      GO TO 32
31  X0=1
      IF (IPRINT.EQ.0) RETURN
      WRITE (6,39)
      GO TO 32
31  WRITE (6,36)
      X0=1
32  RETURN
32  IF (IPRINT.EQ.0) GO TO 34
      PRINT 40
34  CONTINUE
      DO 35 I=1,NDIM
      X1(I)=X2(I)
      G1(I)=G2(I)
      H(I)=-G1(I)
35  CONTINUE
      F1=F2
      X1(N2)=X(N2)
      X1(N1)=X(N1)
      X2(N2)=X(N2)
      X2(N1)=X(N1)
      GO TO 6

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36  FORMAT (1H0,*RESTART COULD NOT YIELD SIGNIFICANT IMPROVEMENT,OPTIM
37  1UM HAS BEEN REACHED*)
      FORMAT (1H0,*MAXIMUM NUMBER OF ALLOWABLE ITERATIONS HAS BEEN EXCEE
38  1DED*)
      FORMAT (1H0,*CRITERION FOR OPTIMUM (FUNCTION VALUE DOES NOT CHANGE
39  1 SIGNIFICANTLY ,MODE=1) HAS BEEN SATISFIED*)
      FORMAT (1H0,*CRITERION FOR OPTIMUM (GRADIENTS HAVE BECOME TOO SMALL
40  1L MODE=2) HAS BEEN SATISFIED*)
      FORMAT (///20X,*A RESTART HAS OCCURRED*///)
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	AMBDA=ALFA	H	77
	GO TO 14	H	78
27	IF (FY-F) 29,28,29	H	79
28	IF (DY-DALFA) 29,30,29	H	80
29	FY=F	H	81
	DY=DALFA	H	82
	AMBDA=AMBDA-ALFA	H	83
30	GO TO 13	H	84
	AMBDA=AMBDA-ALFA	H	85
	RETURN	H	86
31	CONTINUE	H	87
	IF (DY.GE.0.) IER=-2	H	88
	IF (GNRM/GNRM.LE.EPS) IER=-3	H	89
	IF (DALFA.LT.0.) IER=-1	H	90
	I1=IABS(IER)	H	91
	GO TO (32,33,34), I1	H	92
32	WRITE (6,36) IER	H	93
	GO TO 35	H	94
33	WRITE (6,37) IER	H	95
	GO TO 35	H	96
34	WRITE (6,38) IER	H	97
35	RETURN	H	98
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36	FORMAT (1H0,*IER=*,I2,*THERE IS AN ERROR IN GRADIENTS CALCULATION*	H	102
	1)	H	103
37	FORMAT (1H0,*IER=*,I2,*ERROR HAS OCCURED, SEARCH DIRECTION IS NOT	H	104
	1A DESCENT DIRECTION*)	H	105
38	FORMAT (1H0,*IER=*,I2,*ERROR HAS OCCURED, SEARCH DIRECTION VECTOR	H	106
	1 IS TOO SMALL IN COMPARISON TO GRADIENT VECTOR*)	H	107
	END	H	108-

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SUBROUTINE WRITE1 (N)
WRITE (6,5)
GO TO (1,2,3), N
1 WRITE (6,6)
GO TO 4
2 WRITE (6,7)
GO TO 4
3 WRITE (6,8)
4 CONTINUE
WRITE (6,9)
RETURN

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5 FORMAT (1H1)
6 FORMAT (1H0,*OPTIMIZATION BY NEW FLETCHER METHOD*,/,1H0,*-----
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7 FORMAT (1H0,*OPTIMIZATION BY JACOBSON-OKSMAN METHOD*,/,1H0,*-----
1-----*)
8 FORMAT (1H0,*OPTIMIZATION BY FLETCHER-POWELL METHOD*,/,1H0,*-----
1-----*)
9 FORMAT (1H0,*ITERATION*,2X,*FUNCTION*,6X,*TIME ELAPSED*,8X,*OBJECT
1IVE*,9X,*ALPHA AND BETA*,5X,*VARIABLE VECTOR X(I)*,5X,*GRADIENT VE
2CTOR G(I)*,/,1H0,*NUMBER*,5X,*EVALUATIONS*,3X,*(SECONDS)*,11X,*FUNC
3TION*,/)
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SUBROUTINE WRITE2 (X,N,G,F,NUMF,ITER,TIME)
DIMENSION X(1), G(1)
COMMON /SPL/ ALPHA,BETA,IFLAGA,IFLAGB,ICHEK,AB,KKK
WRITE (6,1) ITER,NUMF,TIME,F,ALPHA,X(1),G(1),BETA,((X(J),G(I)),I=2
1,N)
RETURN

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FORMAT (1H0,I5,7X,I5,5X,E16.8,3X,E16.8,4X,E16.8,6X,E16.8,9X,E16.8,
1/,62X,E16.8,6X,E16.8,9X,E16.8,/,98(84X,E16.8,9X,E16.8,/)
END

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SUBROUTINE FMFP (FUNCT,N,X,F,G,EST,EPS,LIMIT,IER,H,IPRINT)
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COMMON /BLK/ KO
COMMON /SPL/ ALPHA,BETA,IFLAGA,IFLAGB,ICHEK,AB,KKK
SUBROUTINE FMFP

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## PURPOSE

TO FIND A LOCAL MINIMUM OF A FUNCTION OF SEVERAL VARIABLES  
BY THE METHOD OF FLETCHER AND POWELL

## USAGE

CALL FMFP(FUNCT,N,X,F,G,EST,EPS,LIMIT,IER,H)

## DESCRIPTION OF PARAMETERS

FUNCT - USER-WRITTEN SUBROUTINE CONCERNING THE FUNCTION TO  
BE MINIMIZED. IT MUST BE OF THE FORM  
SUBROUTINE FUNCT(N,ARG,VAL,GRAD)  
AND MUST SERVE THE FOLLOWING PURPOSE  
FOR EACH N-DIMENSIONAL ARGUMENT VECTOR ARG,  
FUNCTION VALUE AND GRADIENT VECTOR MUST BE COMPUTED  
AND, ON RETURN, STORED IN VAL AND GRAD RESPECTIVELY

N - NUMBER OF VARIABLES

X - VECTOR OF DIMENSION N CONTAINING THE INITIAL  
ARGUMENT WHERE THE ITERATION STARTS. ON RETURN,  
X HOLDS THE ARGUMENT CORRESPONDING TO THE  
COMPUTED MINIMUM FUNCTION VALUE

F - SINGLE VARIABLE CONTAINING THE MINIMUM FUNCTION  
VALUE ON RETURN, I.E.  $F=F(X)$ .

G - VECTOR OF DIMENSION N CONTAINING THE GRADIENT  
VECTOR CORRESPONDING TO THE MINIMUM ON RETURN,  
I.E.  $G=G(X)$ .

EST - IS AN ESTIMATE OF THE MINIMUM FUNCTION VALUE.

EPS - TESTVALUE REPRESENTING THE EXPECTED ABSOLUTE ERROR.  
A REASONABLE CHOICE IS  $10^{*(-6)}$ , I.E.  
SOMEWHAT GREATER THAN  $10^{*(-D)}$ , WHERE D IS THE  
NUMBER OF SIGNIFICANT DIGITS IN FLOATING POINT  
REPRESENTATION.

LIMIT - MAXIMUM NUMBER OF ITERATIONS.

IER - ERROR PARAMETER  
IER = 0 MEANS CONVERGENCE WAS OBTAINED  
IER = 1 MEANS NO CONVERGENCE IN LIMIT ITERATIONS  
IER = -1 MEANS ERRORS IN GRADIENT CALCULATION  
IER = 2 MEANS LINEAR SEARCH TECHNIQUE INDICATES  
IT IS LIKELY THAT THERE EXISTS NO MINIMUM.

H - WORKING STORAGE OF DIMENSION  $N*(N+7)/2$ .

## REMARKS

- I) THE SUBROUTINE NAME REPLACING THE DUMMY ARGUMENT FUNCT  
MUST BE DECLARED AS EXTERNAL IN THE CALLING PROGRAM.
- II) IER IS SET TO 2 IF, STEPPING IN ONE OF THE COMPUTED  
DIRECTIONS, THE FUNCTION WILL NEVER INCREASE WITHIN  
A TOLERABLE RANGE OF ARGUMENT.  
IER = 2 MAY OCCUR ALSO IF THE INTERVAL WHERE F  
INCREASES IS SMALL AND THE INITIAL ARGUMENT WAS  
RELATIVELY FAR AWAY FROM THE MINIMUM SUCH THAT THE  
MINIMUM WAS OVERLEAPED. THIS IS DUE TO THE SEARCH  
TECHNIQUE WHICH DOUBLES THE STEPSIZE UNTIL A POINT  
IS FOUND WHERE THE FUNCTION INCREASES.

## SUBROUTINES AND FUNCTION SUBPROGRAMS REQUIRED

FUNCT

## METHOD

THE METHOD IS DESCRIBED IN THE FOLLOWING ARTICLE  
R. FLETCHER AND M.J.D. POWELL, A RAPID DESCENT METHOD FOR  
MINIMIZATION,  
COMPUTER JOURNAL VOL.6, ISS. 2, 1963, PP.163-168.

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DIMENSIONED DUMMY VARIABLES  
DIMENSION H(1), X(1), G(1)  
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C CHECK WHETHER FUNCTION WILL DECREASE STEPPING ALONG H.
DY=C.
HNRM=0.
GNRM=0.
C
C CALCULATE DIRECTIONAL DERIVATIVE AND TESTVALUES FOR DIRECTION
C VECTOR H AND GRADIENT VECTOR G.
DO 16 J=1,N
HNRM=HNRM+ABS(H(J))
GNRM=GNRM+ABS(G(J))
DY=DY+H(J)*G(J)
CONTINUE
16
C
C REPEAT SEARCH IN DIRECTION OF STEEPEST DESCENT IF DIRECTIONAL
C DERIVATIVE APPEARS TO BE POSITIVE OR ZERO.
IF (DY) 17,61,61
C
C REPEAT SEARCH IN DIRECTION OF STEEPEST DESCENT IF DIRECTION
C VECTOR H IS SMALL COMPARED TO GRADIENT VECTOR G.
17 IF (HNRM/GNRM-EPS) 61,61,18
C
C SEARCH MINIMUM ALONG DIRECTION H
C
C SEARCH ALONG H FOR POSITIVE DIRECTIONAL DERIVATIVE
18 FY=FY
ALFA=2.*(EST-F)/DY
AMBDA=1.
C
C USE ESTIMATE FOR STEPSIZE ONLY IF IT IS POSITIVE AND LESS THAN
C 1. OTHERWISE TAKE 1. AS STEPSIZE
IF (ALFA) 21,21,19
19 IF (ALFA-AMBDA) 20,21,21
20 AMBDA=ALFA
21 ALFA=C.
C
C SAVE FUNCTION AND DERIVATIVE VALUES FOR OLD ARGUMENT
22 FX=FY
DX=DY
C
C STEP ARGUMENT ALONG H
DO 23 I=1,N
X(I)=X(I)+AMBDA*H(I)
CONTINUE
23
C
C COMPUTE FUNCTION VALUE AND GRADIENT FOR NEW ARGUMENT
CALL FUNCT (N,X,F,G)
IF (IFLAGB.EQ.1) RETURN
NUMF=NUMF+1
FY=F
C
C COMPUTE DIRECTIONAL DERIVATIVE DY FOR NEW ARGUMENT. TERMINATE
C SEARCH, IF DY IS POSITIVE. IF DY IS ZERO THE MINIMUM IS FOUND
DY=0.
DO 24 I=1,N
DY=DY+G(I)*H(I)
CONTINUE
24 IF (DY) 25,45,28
C
C TERMINATE SEARCH ALSO IF THE FUNCTION VALUE INDICATES THAT
C A MINIMUM HAS BEEN PASSED
25 IF (FY-FX) 26,28,28
C
C REPEAT SEARCH AND DOUBLE STEPSIZE FOR FURTHER SEARCHES
26 AMBDA=AMBDA+ALFA
ALFA=AMBDA
END OF SEARCH LOOP
C
C TERMINATE IF THE CHANGE IN ARGUMENT GETS VERY LARGE
IF (HNRM*AMBDA-1.E10) 22,22,27
C
C LINEAR SEARCH TECHNIQUE INDICATES THAT NO MINIMUM EXISTS
27 IER=2
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C      INTERPOLATE CUBICALLY IN THE INTERVAL DEFINED BY THE SEARCH
C      ABOVE AND COMPUTE THE ARGUMENT X FOR WHICH THE INTERPOLATION
C      POLYNOMIAL IS MINIMIZED
C      T=0.
C      IF (AMBDA) 30,45,30
C      Z=3.*(FX-FY)/AMBDA+DX+DY
C      ALFA=AMAX1(ABS(Z),ABS(DX),ABS(DY))
C      DALFA=Z/ALFA
C      DALFA=DALFA*DALFA-DX/ALFA*DY/ALFA
C      IF (DALFA) 61,31,31
C      W=ALFA*SQRT(DALFA)
C      ALFA=DY-DX+w+w
C      IF (ALFA) 32,33,32
C      ALFA=(DY-Z+w)/ALFA
C      GO TO 34
C      ALFA=(Z+DY-w)/(Z+DX+Z+DY)
C      ALFA=ALFA*AMBDA
C      DO 35 I=1,N
C      X(I)=X(I)+(T-ALFA)*H(I)
C      CONTINUE
C
C      TERMINATE, IF THE VALUE OF THE ACTUAL FUNCTION AT X IS LESS
C      THAN THE FUNCTION VALUES AT THE INTERVAL ENDS. OTHERWISE REDUCE
C      THE INTERVAL BY CHOOSING ONE END-POINT EQUAL TO X AND REPEAT
C      THE INTERPOLATION. WHICH END-POINT IS CHOOSEN DEPENDS ON THE
C      VALUE OF THE FUNCTION AND ITS GRADIENT AT X
C
C      NUVF=NUVF+1
C      CALL FUNCT (N,X,F,G)
C      IF (IFLAGS.EQ.1) RETURN
C      IF (F-FX) 36,36,37
C      IF (F-FY) 45,45,37
C      DALFA=0.
C      DO 38 I=1,N
C      DALFA=DALFA+G(I)*H(I)
C      CONTINUE
C      IF (DALFA) 39,42,42
C      IF (F-FX) 41,40,42
C      IF (DX-DALFA) 41,45,41
C      FX=F
C      DX=DALFA
C      T=ALFA
C      AMBDA=ALFA
C      GO TO 29
C      IF (FY-F) 44,43,44
C      IF (DY-DALFA) 44,45,44
C      FY=F
C      DY=DALFA
C      AMBDA=AMBDA-ALFA
C      GO TO 28
C
C      TERMINATE, IF FUNCTION HAS NOT DECREASED DURING LAST ITERATION
C      IF (OLDF-F+EPS) 61,46,46
C
C      COMPUTE DIFFERENCE VECTORS OF ARGUMENT AND GRADIENT FROM
C      TWO CONSECUTIVE ITERATIONS
C      DO 47 J=1,N
C      K=N+J
C      H(K)=G(J)-H(K)
C      K=N+K
C      H(K)=X(J)-H(K)
C      CONTINUE
C
C      TEST LENGTH OF ARGUMENT DIFFERENCE VECTOR AND DIRECTION VECTOR
C      IF AT LEAST N ITERATIONS HAVE BEEN EXECUTED. TERMINATE, IF
C      BOTH ARE LESS THAN EPS
C      IER=0
C      IF (KOUNT-N) 51,48,48
C      T=0.
C      Z=0.
C      DO 49 J=1,N
C      K=N+J
C      W=H(K)

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K=K+N
T=T+ABS(H(K))
Z=Z+w*H(K)
49 CONTINUE
50 IF (HNRM-EPS) 50,50,51
IF (T-EPS) 66,66,51
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51 TERMINATE, IF NUMBER OF ITERATIONS WOULD EXCEED LIMIT
IF (KOUNT-LIMIT) 52,59,59
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C
52 PREPARE UPDATING OF MATRIX H
ALFA=U.
DO 56 J=1,N
K=J+N3
W=U.
DO 55 L=1,N
KL=N+L
W=W+H(KL)*H(K)
IF (L-J) 53,54,54
53 K=K+N-L
GO TO 55
54 K=K+1
55 CONTINUE
K=N+J
ALFA=ALFA+W*H(K)
H(J)=W
56 CONTINUE
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C
REPEAT SEARCH IN DIRECTION OF STEEPEST DESCENT IF RESULTS
ARE NOT SATISFACTORY
IF (Z*ALFA) 57,3,57
C
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57 UPDATE MATRIX H
K=N31
DO 58 L=1,N
KL=N2+L
DO 58 J=L,N
NJ=N2+J
H(K)=H(K)+H(KL)*H(NJ)/Z-H(L)*H(J)/ALFA
58 K=K+1
GO TO 7
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C
END OF ITERATION LOOP
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C
NO CONVERGENCE AFTER LIMIT ITERATIONS
59 IER=1
IF (KK.NE.IPRINT) GO TO 60
CALL WRITE2 (X,N,G,F,NUMF,KOUNT)
60 CONTINUE
GO TO 66
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C
RESTORE OLD VALUES OF FUNCTION AND ARGUMENTS
61 DO 62 J=1,N
K=N2+J
X(J)=H(K)
62 CONTINUE
CALL FUNCT (N,X,F,G)
IF (IFLAGB.EQ.1) RETURN
NUMF=NUMF+1
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C
REPEAT SEARCH IN DIRECTION OF STEEPEST DESCENT IF DERIVATIVE
FAILS TO BE SUFFICIENTLY SMALL
IF (GNRM-EPS) 65,65,63
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C
TEST FOR REPEATED FAILURE OF ITERATION
63 IF (IER) 66,64,64
64 IER=-1
GO TO 3
65 IER=0
66 II=IER+2
IF (II.EQ.2) KO=1
IF (IPRINT.EQ.0) RETURN
GO TO (67,68,69,70), II
67 WRITE (6,74) IER
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68	WRITE (6,75) IER	K	373
	GO TO 72	K	374
69	WRITE (6,76) IER	K	375
	GO TO 72	K	376
70	WRITE (6,77) IER	K	377
71	WRITE (6,73)	K	378
	KO=1	K	379
72	RETURN	K	380
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73	FORMAT (1H0,*THERE IS NO SIGNIFICANT DECREASE IN THE FUNCTION VALUE IF OPTIMUM IS ASSUMED TO HAVE BEEN REACHED*)	K	384
74	FORMAT (1H0,*IER=*,I2,* ERROR IN GRADIENTS CALCULATIONS*)	K	385
75	FORMAT (1H0,*IER=*,I2,* CRITERION FOR OPTIMUM HAS BEEN SATISFIED*)	K	386
76	FORMAT (1H0,*IER=*,I2,* MAXIMUM NUMBER OF ALLOWABLE ITERATIONS HAS 1 BEEN EXCEEDED*)	K	387
77	FORMAT (1H0,*IER=*,I2,* CHANGE IN ARGUMENTS GETS TOO LARGE, LINEAR 1 SEARCH INDICATES THAT NO MINIMUM EXISTS*)	K	388
	END	K	389
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