

# savm\_dcdc

The screenshot displays a software interface with a circuit diagram on the left and a 'Mask Editor' dialog box on the right. The circuit diagram shows a 'DC/DC Converter - AVM' block with inputs for 'Input Voltage' and 'Duty Cycle', and outputs for 'Scope' and 'Scope1'. A 'Load Resistance' block is connected to the converter's output.

The 'Mask Editor' dialog box is titled 'Mask Editor : DC/DC Converter - AVM' and has tabs for 'Icon & Ports', 'Parameters & Dialog', 'Initialization', and 'Documentation'. The 'Parameters & Dialog' tab is active, showing a 'Dialog box' table with the following content:

Type	Prompt	Name
	%<MaskType>	DescGroupVar
A	%<MaskDescription>	DescTextVar
	Parameters	ParameterGroupVar
#1	Parameter Structure	P
#2	Waveform Structure	DCDC1_Waveforms

Below the table, there is a text box that reads: 'Drag or Click items in left palette to add to dialog. Use Delete key to remove items from dialog.'

The 'Property editor' on the right side of the dialog box shows the following properties:

- Properties: Name (P), Value (Pdcdc), Prompt (Parameter Struct...), Type (edit)
- Attributes: Evaluate (checked), Tunable, Read only, Hidden, Never save
- Dialog: Enable (checked), Visible (checked), Callback
- Layout: Item location (New row), Prompt locat... (Top)

At the bottom of the dialog box, there are buttons for 'Unmask', 'Preview', 'OK', 'Cancel', 'Help', and 'Apply'.

Right Click on DC/DC Converter – AVM – Mask – Edit Mask

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The screenshot shows the Mask Editor for a DC/DC Converter - AVM. The main window displays a block diagram with the following components and connections:

- Input Voltage** and **Duty Cycle** are connected to the **DC/DC Converter - AVM** block.
- The **DC/DC Converter - AVM** block is connected to **Scope** and **Scope1**.
- Load Admittance** is connected to the **DC/DC Converter - AVM** block.

The **Mask Editor: DC/DC Converter - AVM** dialog is open, showing the following components:

- Controls:** Parameter, Display, Action.
- Dialog box:** A table with columns Type, Prompt, and Name.
- Property editor:** Properties, Attributes, Dialog, Layout.

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Property editor:

- Properties:** Name: DCDC1\_Wavefor..., Value: DCDC\_Waveforms, Prompt: Waveform Struc..., Type: edit
- Attributes:** Evaluate, Tunable, Read only, Hidden, Never save
- Dialog:** Enable, Visible, Callback
- Layout:** Item location: New row, Prompt locat...: Top

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Right Click on DC/DC Converter – AVM – Mask – Edit Mask

# Creating A Subsystem

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- Select Portion of Diagram of Interest
- Select *Diagram – Model & Subsystem Reference – Create Subsystem from Selection*

# savm\_dc dc

The image displays a Simulink workspace with a block diagram of a DC/DC Converter - AVM. The diagram includes an 'Input Voltage' block connected to the 'Vin' port of the converter, a 'Duty Cycle' block connected to the 'D' port, and a 'Load Admittance' block connected to the 'Load' port. The converter's outputs are connected to two 'Scope' blocks. A 'Mask Editor: DC/DC Converter - AVM' dialog box is open in the foreground, showing the 'Initialization' tab. The 'Initialization commands' field contains the following MATLAB code:

```
set_param([gcb, '/Record_DCDC_Waveforms'], 'VariableName', DCDC1_Waveforms)
```

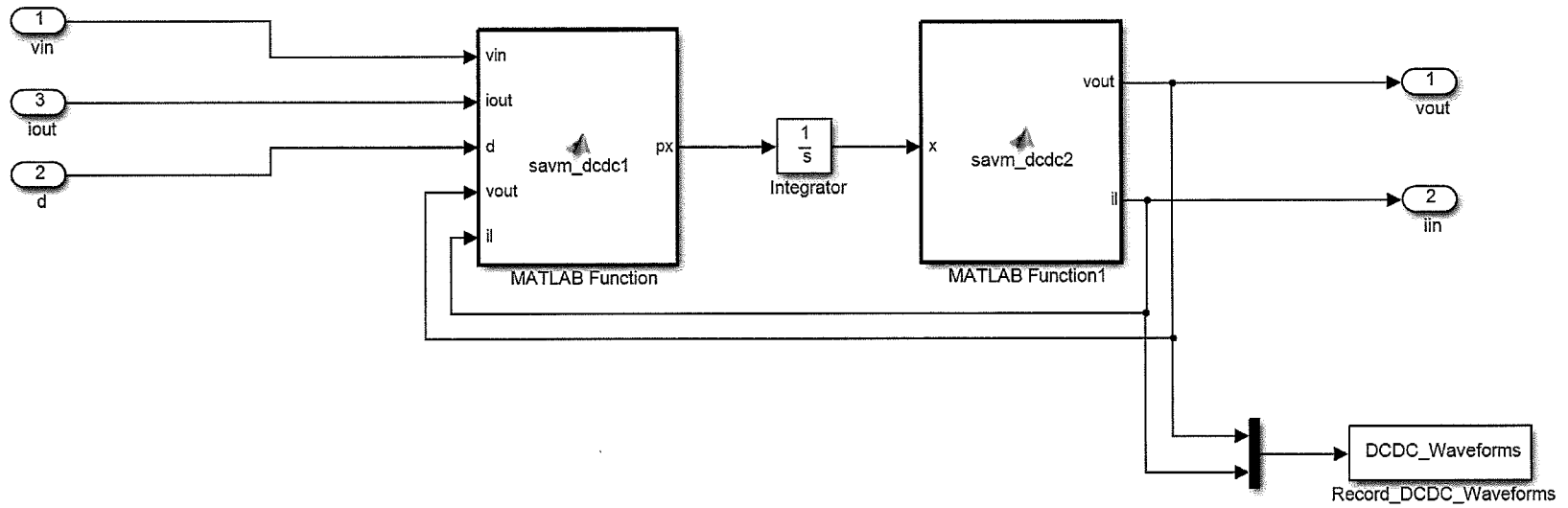
The dialog box also features a 'Dialog variables' table with the following entries:

Dialog variables
P
DCDC1_Waveforms

At the bottom of the dialog box, there is a checkbox labeled 'Allow library block to modify its contents' which is currently unchecked. The dialog box has 'Unmask', 'Preview', 'OK', 'Cancel', 'Help', and 'Apply' buttons.

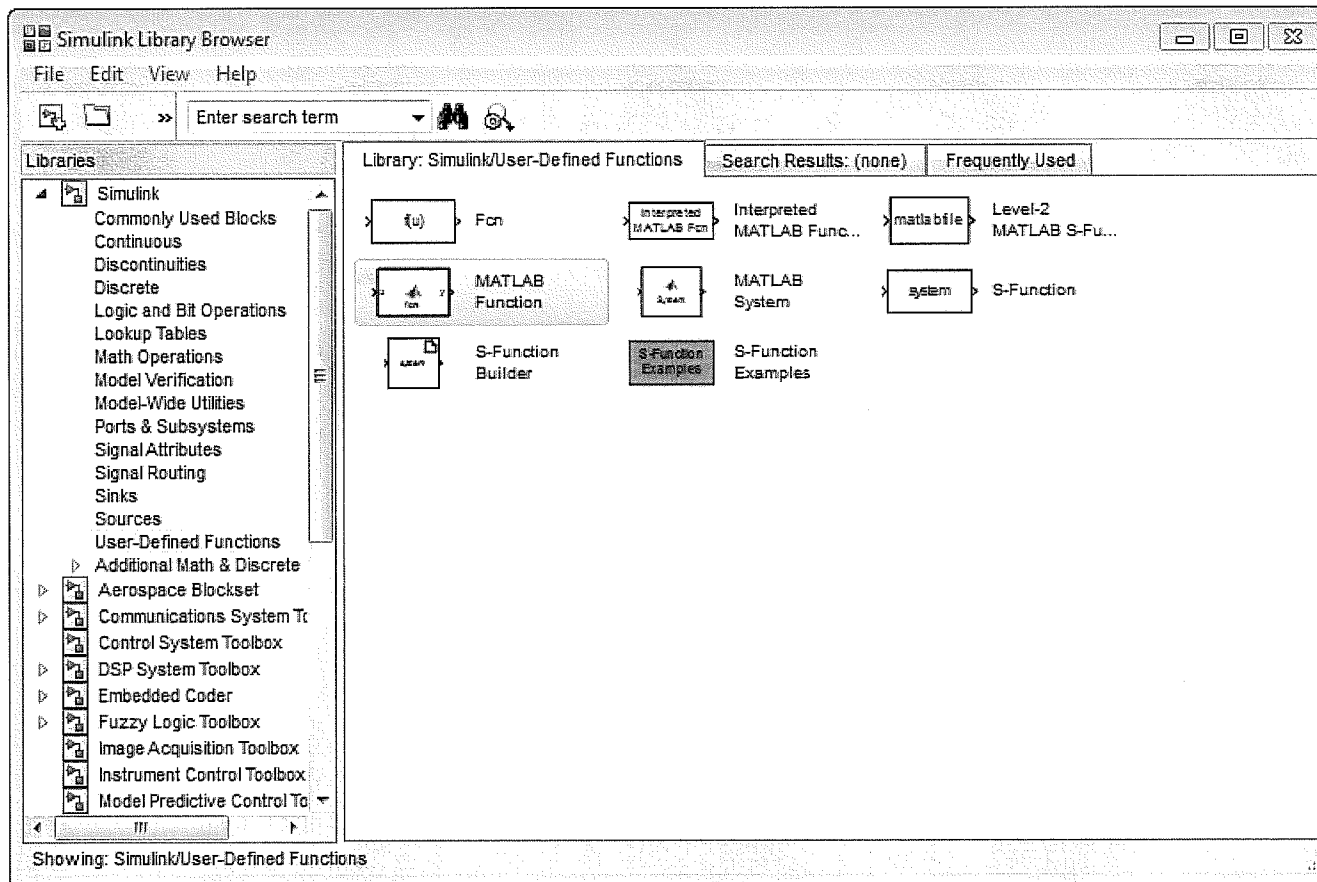


# savm\_dcdc



# Creating A Block

- Select *View* then *Library Browser*



# savm\_dcdc1

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```
function px = savm_dcdc1(vin,iout,d,vout,il,P)
% This routine contains the dynamics of an simple dc/dc (boost) converter
% model. To be used with savm_dcdc2.
%
% Inputs:
% vin      = input voltage (V)
% iout     = output current (A)
% d        = duty cycle
% P        = structure with parameters
%  P.L     = inductor inductance (H)
%  P.rL    = inductor series resistance (Ohms)
%  P.C     = capacitor capacitance (F)
%
% Outputs:
% px       = time derivative of state vector
%  px(1)   = time derivative of fast average of inductor current (A)
%  px(2)   = time derivative of fast average of output voltage (V)
%
```

# savm\_dcdc1

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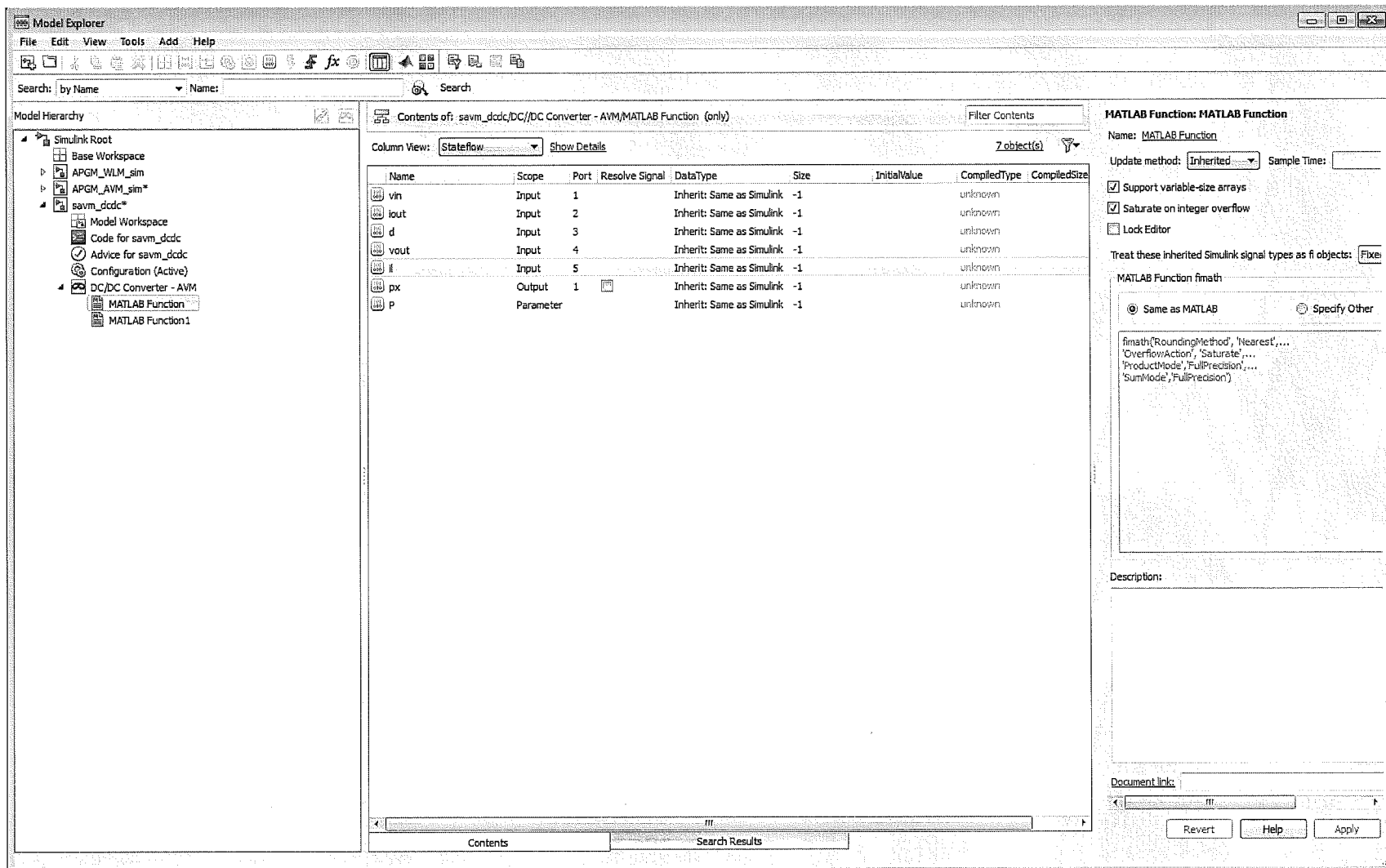
```
% Internal:
% vls      = average voltage across lower switch/diode (V)
% ius      = average current into upper switch/diode (A)
% pil      = time derivative of il (A/s)
% pvout    = time derivative of vout (V/s)
%
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% variables of interest
vls=d*vout;
ius=d*il;

% compute derivatives of state
pil=(vin-P.rL*il-vls)/P.L;
pvout=(ius-iout)/P.C;

% pack the state vector
px=[pil pvout]';
```

# Matlab Function I/O



*Right Click on MATLAB Function – Explore – Click on Scope to Change*

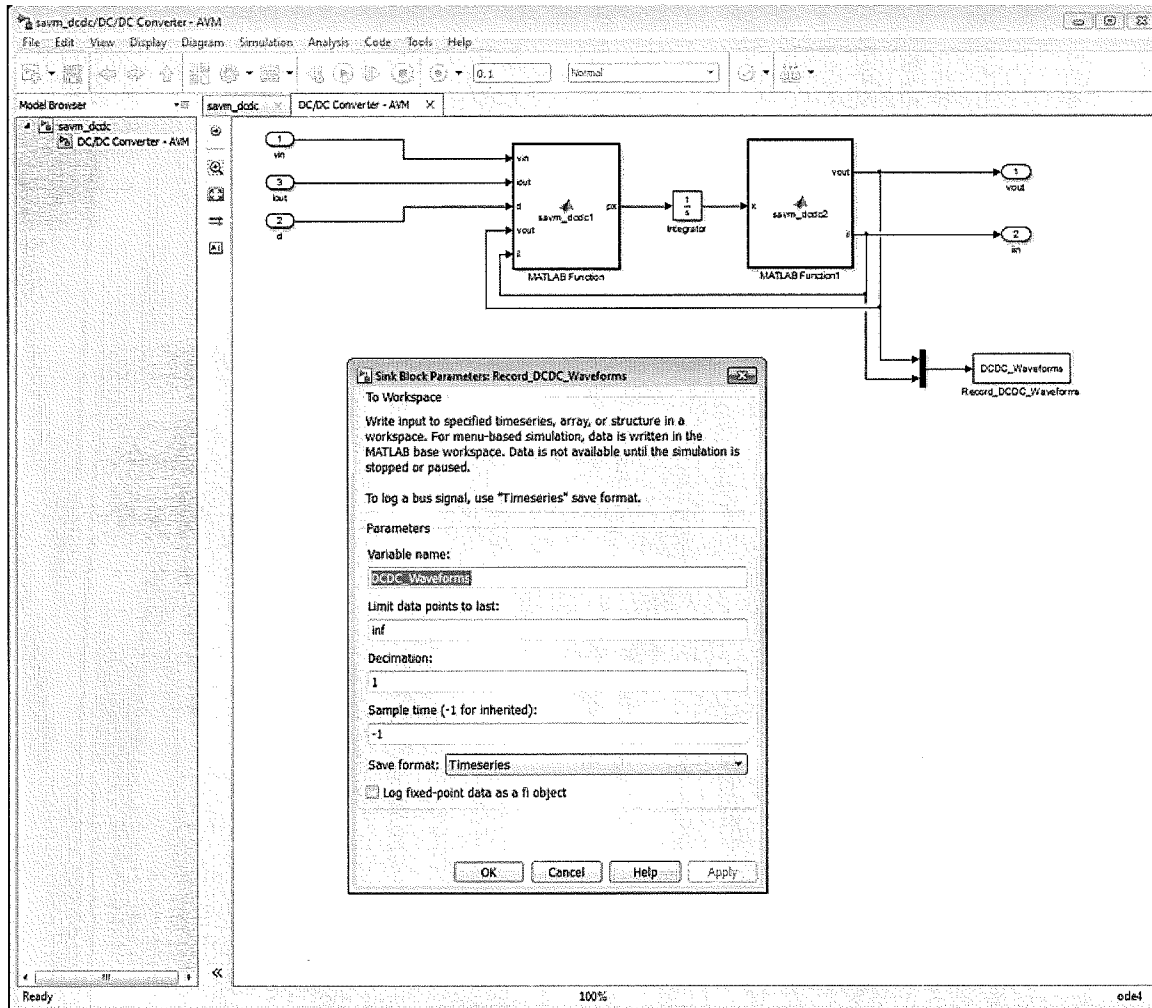
# savm\_dcdc2

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```
function [vout,il] = savm_dcdc2(x)
% This routine decomposes the state vector in a simple average value
% model of a dc/dc (boost) converter. To be used with savm_dcdc1.
%
% Inputs:
% x          = state vector
% x(1)       = fast average of inductor current (A)
% x(2)       = fast average of output voltage (V)
%
% Outputs:
% vout       = output voltage (V)
% il         = inductor (input) current (A)
%
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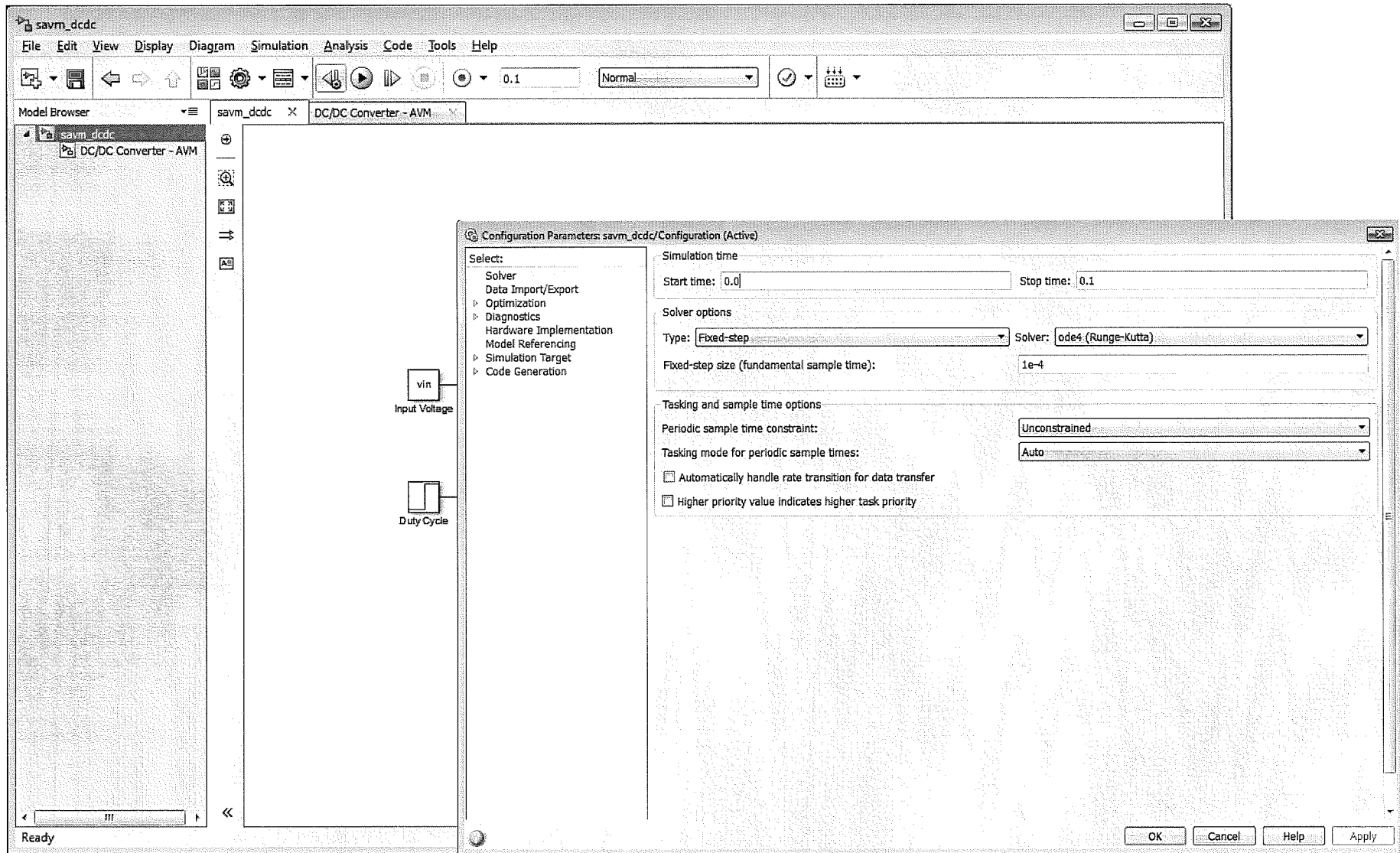
% break apart state vector
il=x(1);
vout=x(2);
```

# Output to Workspace



*View – Library Browser – Simulink – Sinks – To Workspace*

# Simulation Settings



*Simulation – Model Configuration Parameters*



# savm\_dcdc\_plot

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```
function savm_dcdc_plot(Name,Wf,fn)
% savm_dcdc_plot plots waveforms associated with a dc/dc converter
%
% savm_dcdc_plot(Name,Wf)
% savm_dcdc_plot(Name,Wf,fn)
%
% Inputs:
% Name          = text Description of component
% Wf            = structure of waveform data
% Wf.Time       = time vector (s)
% Wf.Data(:,1) = output voltage (V)
% Wf.Data(:,2) = inductor current (A)
% fn           = figure number
%
% Internal:
% t            = time vector (s)
% il           = inductor current (A)
% vout         = output voltage (V)
%
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# savm\_dc\_dc\_plot

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```
% Get data
t=Wf.Time;
vout=Wf.Data(:,1);
il    =Wf.Data(:,2);

% plot dc output current
if nargin>2
    figure(fn)
else
    figure
end
plot(t,vout);
xlabel('t, s');
ylabel('v_{out}, V');
grid on;
title([Name, ' DC Output Voltage']);

% plot torque
if nargin>2
    figure(fn+1)
else
    figure
end
plot(t,il);
xlabel('t, s');
ylabel('i_l, A');
grid on;
title([Name, ' Inductor Current']);
```

# savm\_dcdc\_pp

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```
% This script imports and plots waveforms from the
% simple simulink average value dc/dc converter simulation savm_dcdc

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savm_dcdc_plot('DCC Converter',DCDC_Waveforms,10);
```

# savm\_dcdc\_study

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```
% This script sets parameter and performs initial calculations for  
% simple simulink average value dc/dc converter simulation, runs the  
% study, and then plots the results
```

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```
% initialize parameters  
savm_dcdc_setup;
```

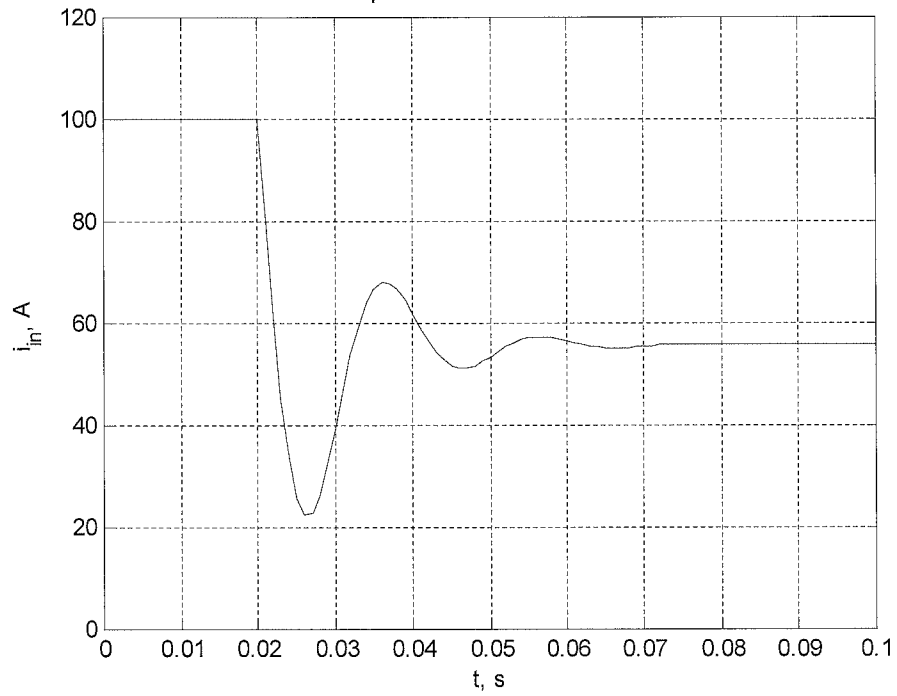
```
% run the study  
sim('savm_dcdc');
```

```
% plot the results  
savm_dcdc_plot('DCC Converter',DCDC_Waveforms,10);
```

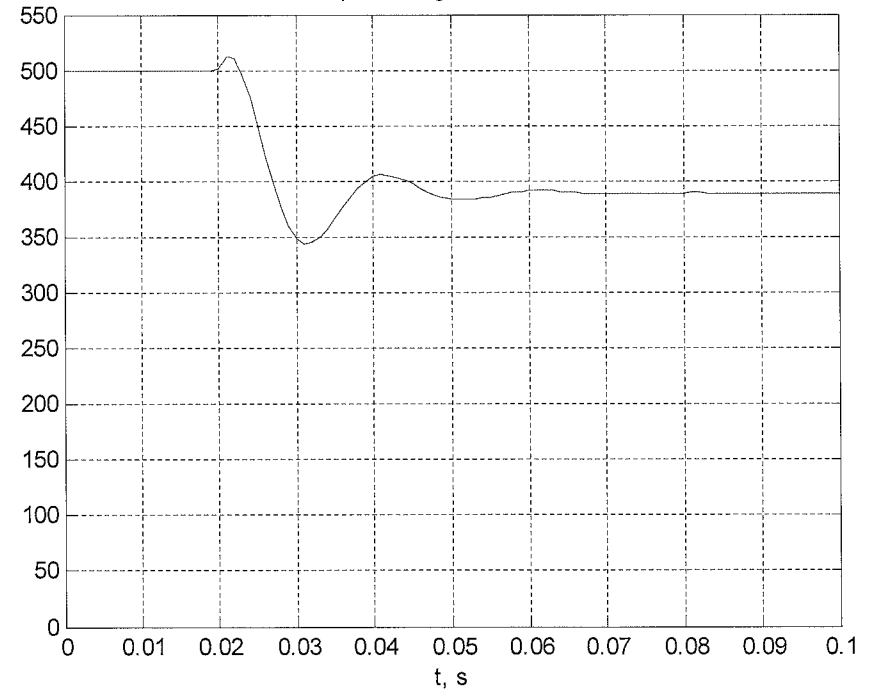
# Results

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Input Current Versus Time



Output Voltage Versus Time



# Sorting

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- Recall: To predict a future value of state, we needed to find the present value of the time derivative of the state variables, based on what we know – that is the present value of state variables and present value of input variables
- Sorting is the evaluation order we need to follow when doing this

# Sorting

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- Consider the system

$$\frac{dx_1}{dt} = 3x_2 - x_1 + g \quad (3) \quad (4)$$

$$\frac{dx_2}{dt} = -3x_2 + z \quad (4) \quad (3)$$

$$g = t^2 + 2x_1 + z \quad (2)$$

$$z = x_1^2 x_2 \quad (1)$$

$$x_1 = 3x_2 - \frac{dx_1}{dt} + g$$

# Algebraic Loops

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- Algebraic Loops occur when the system model is formatted such that it cannot be sorted
- Consider

$$\frac{dx_1}{dt} = -x_1^2 + x_2 + y$$

$$\frac{dx_2}{dt} = -5x_2 + z$$

$$y = 4z + x_1$$

$$z = 2y - x_2$$



# Breaking Algebraic Loops

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- Method 1 – Model Reformulation
- Start With

$$\frac{dx_1}{dt} = -x_1^2 + x_2 + y \quad \textcircled{3} \textcircled{4}$$

$$\frac{dx_2}{dt} = -5x_2 + z \quad \textcircled{4} \textcircled{3}$$

$$y = 4z + x_1 \quad \textcircled{2}$$

$$z = 2y - x_2$$

$$z = 2(4z + x_1) - x_2$$

$$z = 8z + 2x_1 - x_2$$

$$7z = x_2 - 2x_1$$

$$z = \frac{1}{7}(x_2 - 2x_1) \quad \textcircled{1}$$

# Breaking Algebraic Loops

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- Method 2 – Cheating
- Start With

$F(x, t)$

$$\frac{dx_1}{dt} = -x_1^2 + x_2 + y \quad \cdot$$

$$\frac{dx_2}{dt} = -5x_2 + z \quad \cdot$$

$$y = 4z + x_1 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$z = 2y - x_2 \quad \textcircled{2}$$

$$\frac{dx_3}{dt} = (z - x_3)/\gamma \quad \cdot$$

# Stiffness

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- Assume a linear system
- Assume all ~~real~~ <sup>real</sup> eigenvalues
- Assume no repeated eigenvalues

$$\dot{x} = Ax + Bu$$

$$y = \bar{M}'x$$

$$M = [v_1 \ v_2 \ \dots \ v_N]$$

eigenvectors of A

$$Av_i = \lambda_i v_i$$

$$\dot{y} = \bar{M}'[Ax + Bu] = \bar{M}'[AMy + Bu]$$

# Stiffness

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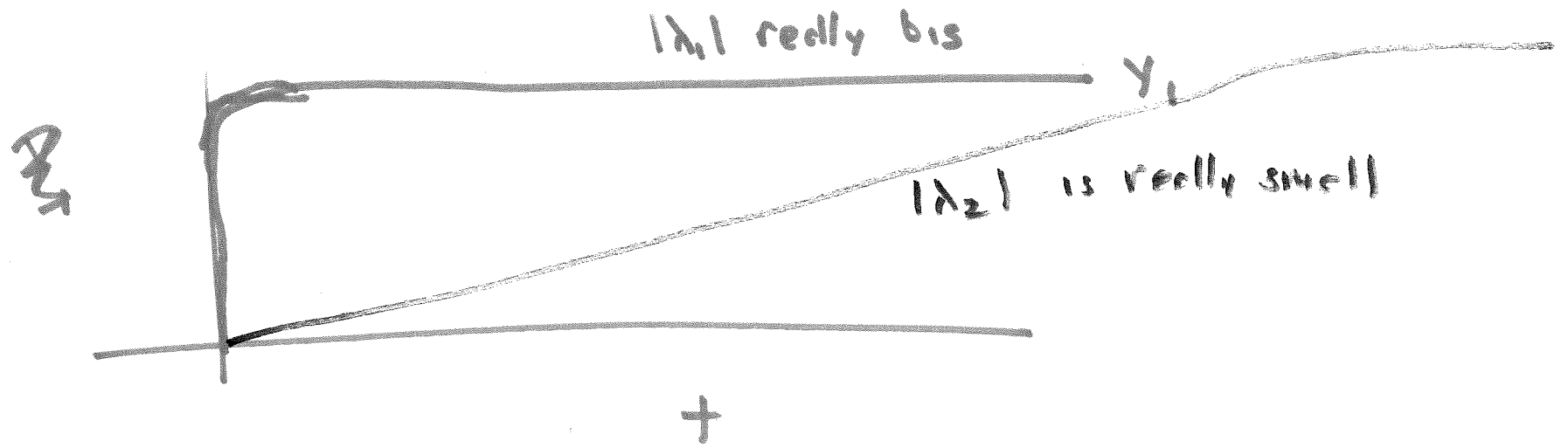
$$pY = \dot{Y} = \bar{M}' A M Y + \bar{M}' B U$$

$$pY = \bar{M}' A M Y + \hat{U}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{M}' A M &= [v_1 \ v_2 \ \dots \ v_N]' A [v_1 \ v_2 \ \dots \ v_N] \\ &= [v_1 \ v_2 \ \dots \ v_N]' [\lambda_1 v_1 \ \lambda_2 v_2 \ \dots \ \lambda_N v_N] \\ &= [v_1 \ v_2 \ \dots \ v_N]' [v_1 \ v_2 \ \dots \ v_N] \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & & \\ & \lambda_2 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & \lambda_N \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & & & 0 \\ & \lambda_2 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & \lambda_N \end{bmatrix}\end{aligned}$$

# Stiffness

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# Stiffness

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- In general

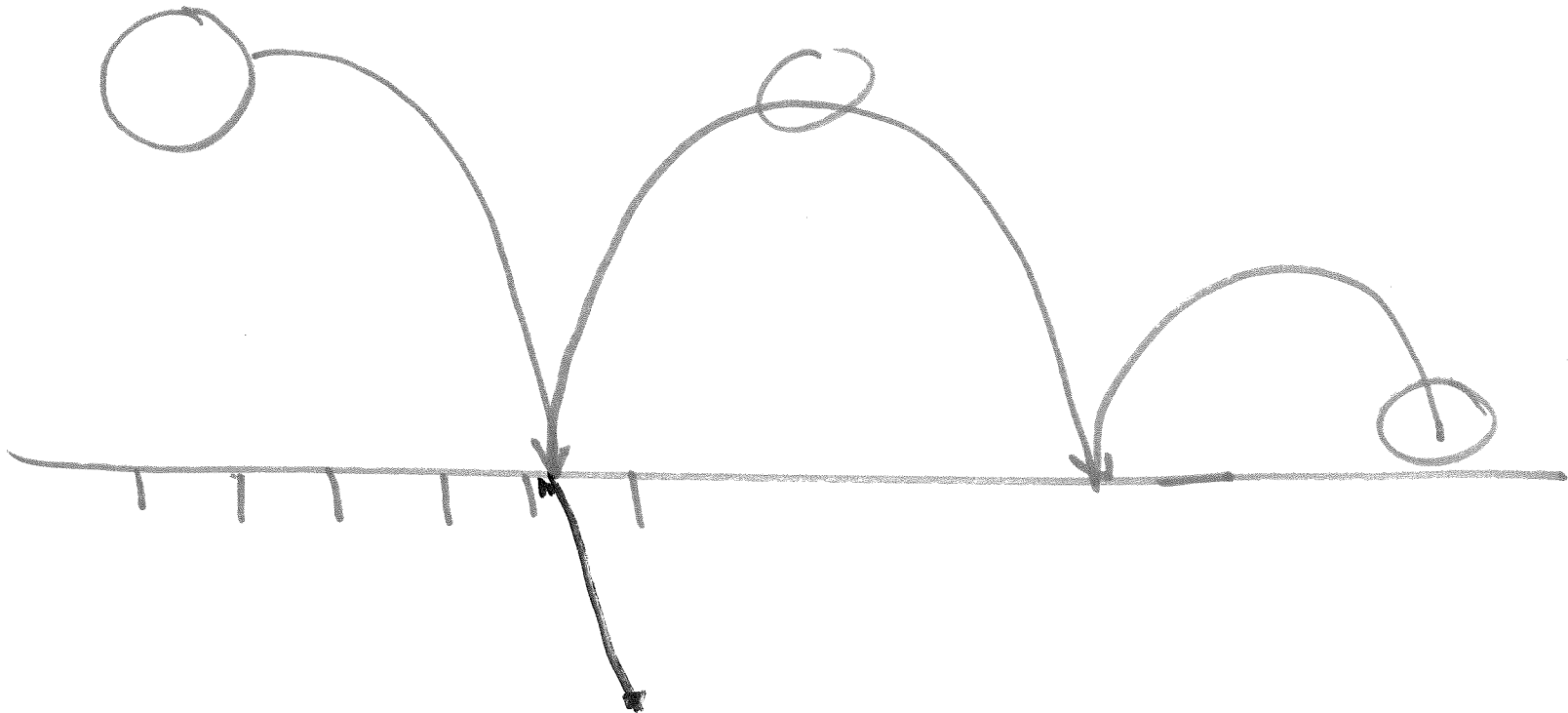
$$|\operatorname{Re}(\bar{\lambda})| \geq |\operatorname{Re}(\lambda_i)| \geq |\operatorname{Re}(\underline{\lambda})|$$

$$\text{SR} = \frac{|\operatorname{Re}(\bar{\lambda})|}{|\operatorname{Re}(\underline{\lambda})|}$$

# Other Simulation Issues

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- Discrete Events
- Scheduling
- Paralleling Simulations



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# **ECE61016 Power Electronics Converters and Systems**

## **Lecture Set 2: Optimization**

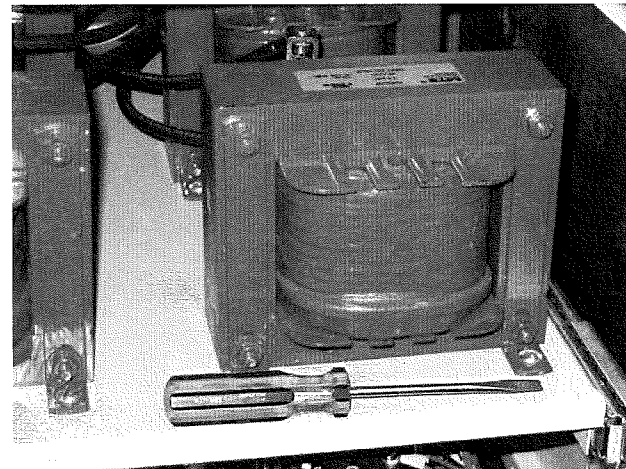
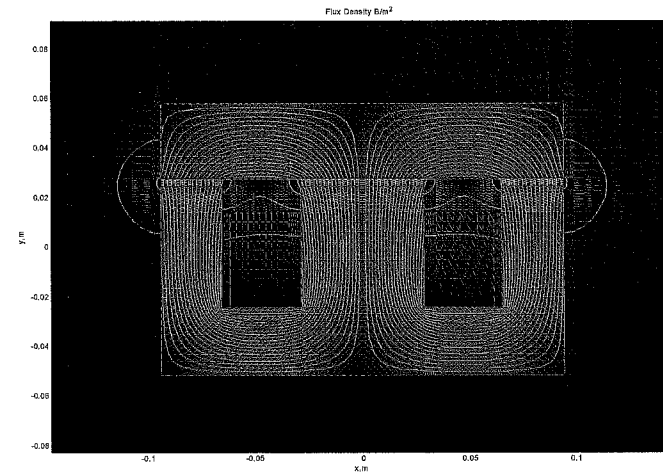
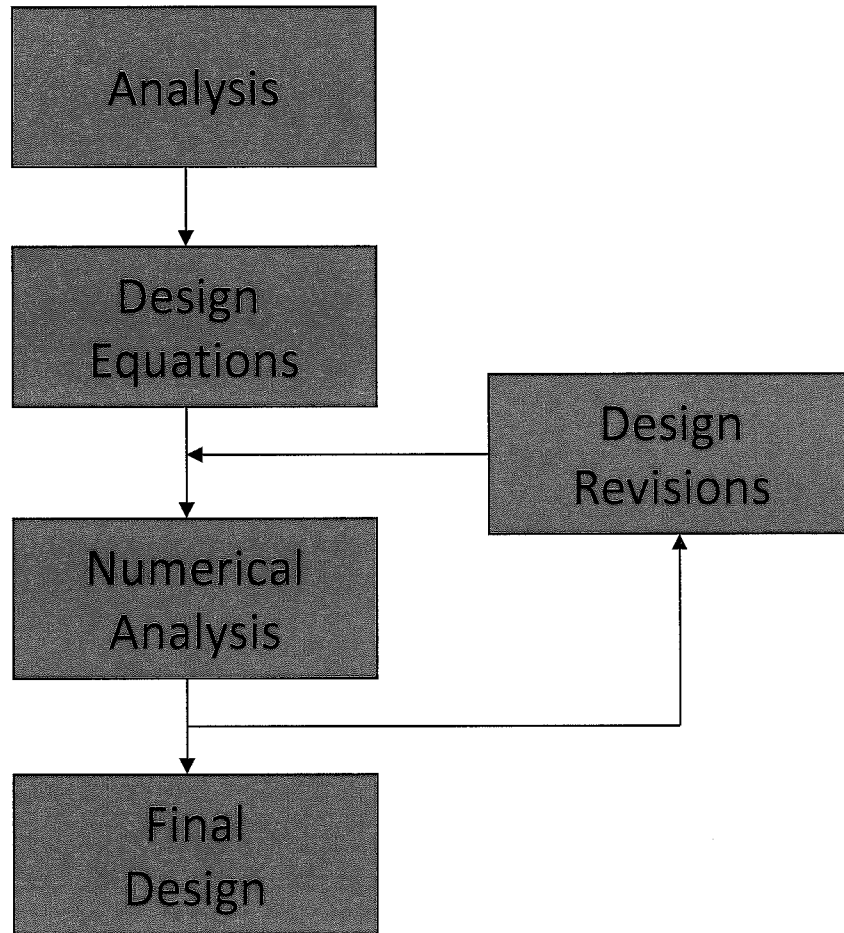
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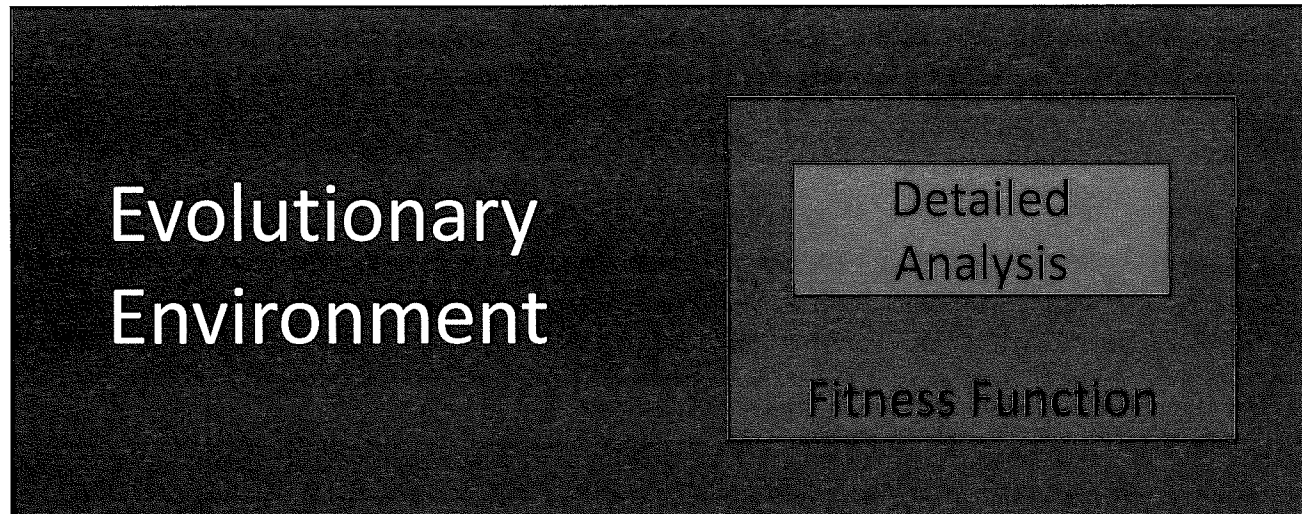
# Manual Design Approach

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# Evolutionary Design Approach

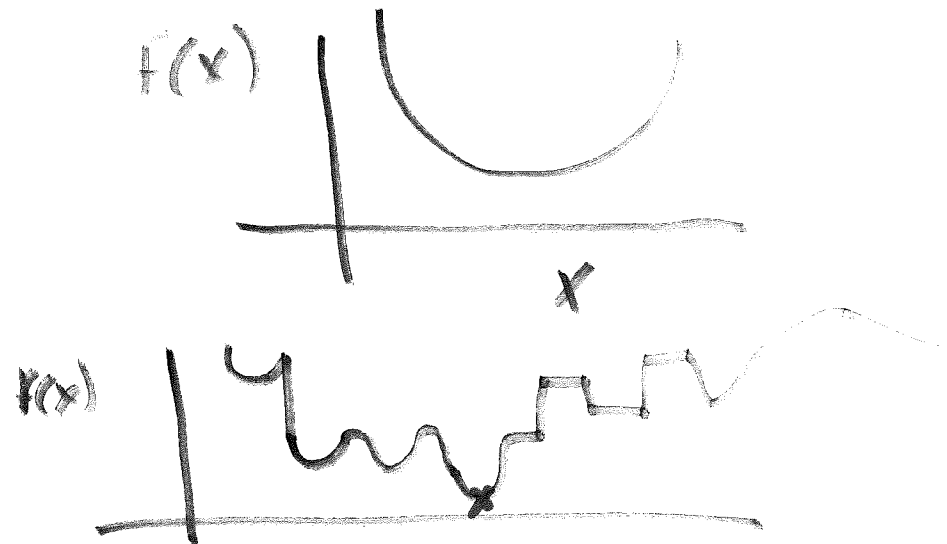
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# Optimization Based Design

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- Pose Design Problem As An Optimization Problem
  - Can be single or multi-objective
  - Systematically encode design constraints and objectives into fitness functions
- Unfortunately Problem Properties Not Always Friendly
  - Not differentiable
  - Not convex
  - Many local extrema
  - No unique global optimum



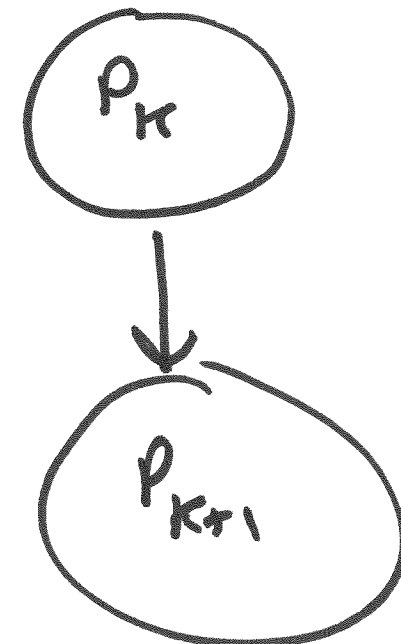
# Optimization Methods

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- Classic Methods
  - Newton's Method
  - Gradient Methods
  - Conjugate Direction Methods
  - Quasi-Newton Methods
  - Nelder-Mead Simplex Method
- Populations Based Methods
  - Monte-Carlo
  - Population Based Classical Methods
  - **Genetic Algorithms**
  - Swarm Algorithms

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~~Gen.~~ Given  $X_k$   
Generate  $X_{k+1}$



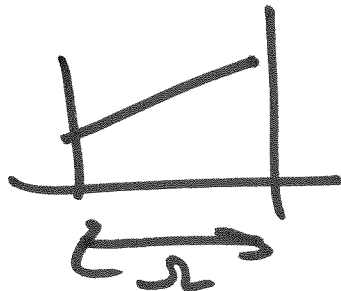
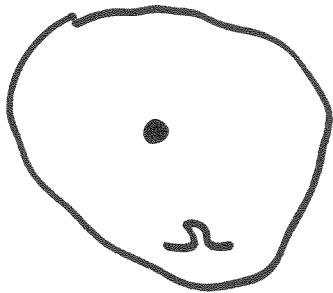
# Newton's Method (1/4)

Scalar function of a vector argument  $f(x)$

$$F_T(x) = F(x_0) + \underbrace{\frac{\partial F}{\partial x}(x_0)}_{\text{gradient } \nabla F(x_0)} (x-x_0) + \frac{1}{2} (x-x_0)^T \underbrace{F''(x_0)}_{\text{Hessian}} (x-x_0) + \dots$$

neglect

$$\nabla F(x_0) = 0$$



Hessian =

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial x_1^2} & \frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial x_1 \partial x_2} & \dots & \dots \\ \frac{\partial^2 F}{\partial x_2 \partial x_1} & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \end{bmatrix}$$

$$F = F^T$$

## Newton's Method (2/4)

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$$\begin{aligned}\nabla f_k(x) &= \nabla f(x_0) + \frac{1}{2} F(x_0)(x-x_0) + \left[ \frac{1}{2} (x-x_0)^T F(x_0) \right]^T \\ &= \nabla f(x_0) + F(x_0)(x-x_0) = 0\end{aligned}$$

$$F(x_0)(x-x_0) = -\nabla f(x_0)$$

$$x = x_0 - F^{-1}(x_0) \nabla f(x_0)$$

$$x_{k+1} = x_k - F^{-1}(x_k) \nabla f(x_k)$$

# Newton's Method (3/4)

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# What Are Genetic Algorithms?

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- Genetic algorithms are optimization algorithm inspired from natural selection and genetics
- A candidate solution is referred to as an *individual*
- Process
  - Parent individuals generate offspring individuals
  - The resultant offspring are evaluated for their **fitness**
  - The fittest offspring individuals survive and become parents
  - The process is repeated



# Comparing GAs and Traditional Methods

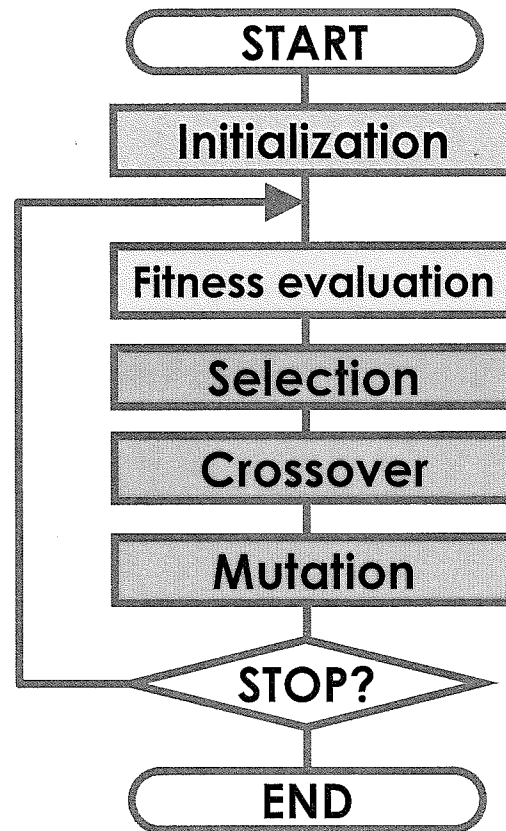
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- Iterate a population not an individual
- Operations are stochastic not deterministic
- No derivatives of any kind

# Canonical GA

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- The **canonical genetic algorithm** refers to the GA proposed by John Holland in 1965



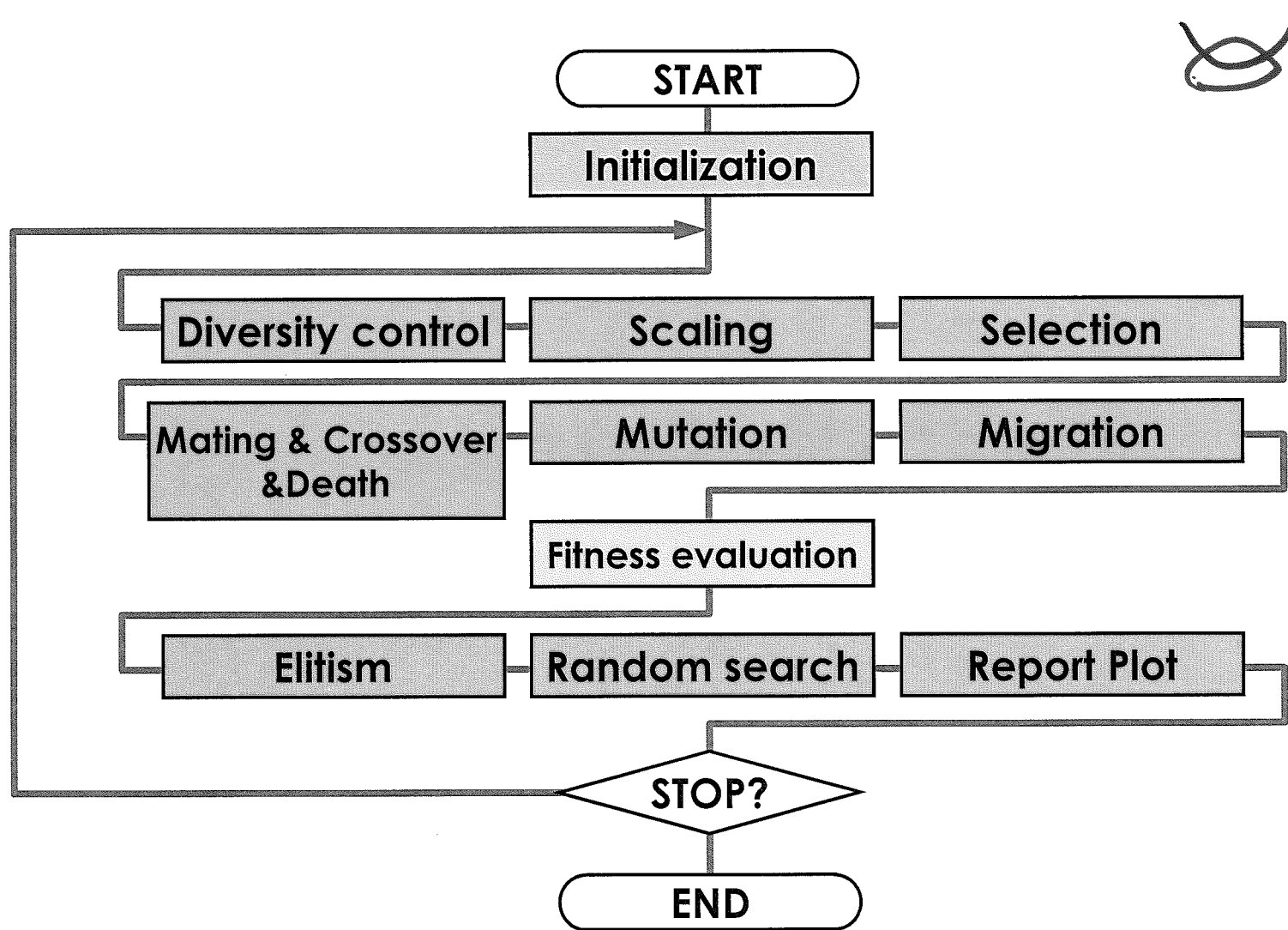
# Introduction to GOSET

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- **GOSET** stands for **Genetic Optimization System Engineering Tool**
- GOSET is a MATLAB based genetic algorithm toolbox for solving optimization problems
- Available at:  
<https://engineering.purdue.edu/ECE/Research/Areas/PEDS>

# Algorithm Execution

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# Data Structures

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To conveniently process the information used in GOSET, the following data structures are employed

Data structure	Contents	No. of fields
P	Population	15
GAP	GA Parameters	86
GAS	GA Statistics	6

# Population Data Structure (P)

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Block Evaluation

<b>P.blckeval</b>	Block evaluation flag
<b>P.fithandle</b>	Handle to the fitness function
<b>P.size</b>	The number of individuals in the population
<b>P.nobj</b>	Number of objectives
<b>P.mfit</b>	Fitness function values (# obj. by pop. size)
<b>P.fit</b>	Aggregated fitness function values (1 by pop. size)
<b>P.eval</b>	Fitness evaluation flag
<b>P.age</b>	Age of individuals

# Population Data Structure (P)

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<b>P.ngenes</b>	Number of genes in an individual
<b>P.min</b>	Minimum value of genes (# genes by 1)
<b>P.max</b>	Maximum value of genes (# genes by 1)
<b>P.type</b>	Types of genes
<b>P.chrom_id</b>	Chromosome ID of genes (for multiple chromosome)
<b>P.normgene</b>	Normalized gene values (# genes by pop. size)
<b>P.gene</b>	Gene values (# genes by pop. size)

# Population Data Structure (P)

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P.region	Geographic region of individuals
P.pen	Fitness weight values for penalizing in the diversity control

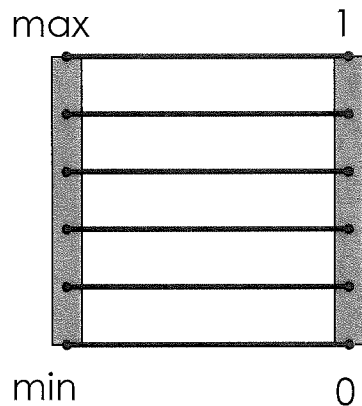


# Encoding

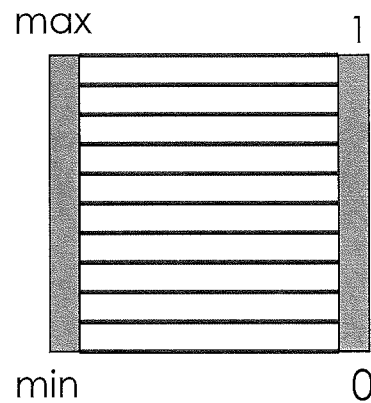
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- P.type (# genes by 1)
  - Determine the mapping method of the normalized gene value to its actual value
  - There are three different types of mapping

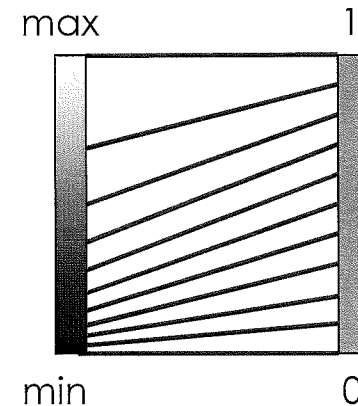
Integer



Linear

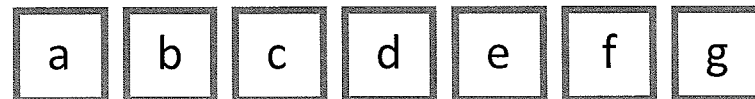


Logarithmic



# Chromosome ID

Given the genes of an individual



P.chrom_id	Chromosome structure
$\text{P.chrom\_id} = [1\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 1]^T$	
$\text{P.chrom\_id} = [1\ 1\ 1\ 2\ 2\ 3\ 3]^T$	
$\text{P.chrom\_id} = [1\ 2\ 3\ 2\ 2\ 3\ 1]^T$	

# Genetic Algorithm Parameters (GAP)

Category	Field names
Fundamental parameters	GAP.fp_ngen GAP.fp_ipop GAP.fp_npop GAP.fp_nobj GAP.fp_obj
Diversity control parameters	GAP.dc_act GAP.dc_alg GAP.dc_spc GAP.dc_mnt GAP.dc_mxt GAP.dc_ntr GAP.dc_mnb GAP.dc_mxb GAP.dc_dc GAP.dc_nt
Selection algorithm parameters	GAP.sl_alg GAP.sl_nts GAP.sl_cah
Death algorithm parameters	GAP.dt_alg GAP.dt_nts GAP.dt_cah
Mating and crossover parameters	GAP.mc_pp GAP.mc_fc GAP.mc_alg GAP.mc_gac GAP.mc_ec
Mutation parameters	GAP.mt_ptgm0 GAP.mt_prgm0 GAP.mt_srgm0 GAP.mt_pagm0 GAP.mt_sagm0 GAP.mt_prvm0 GAP.mt_srvm0 GAP.mt_pavm0 GAP.mt_savm0 GAP.mt_pigm0 GAP.mt_ptgmf GAP.mt_prgmf GAP.mt_srgmf GAP.mt_pagmf GAP.mt_sagmf GAP.mt_prvmf GAP.mt_srvmf GAP.mt_pavmf GAP.mt_savmf GAP.mt_pigmf
Migration parameters	GAP.mg_nreg GAP.mg_tmig GAP.mg_pmig
Evaluation Parameters	GAP.ev_bev GAP.ev_are GAP.ev_ssd
Scaling parameters	GAP.sc_alg GAP.sc_kln GAP.sc_cst GAP.sc_kmxq GAP.sc_kmnq
Gene repair	GAP.gr_alg
Elitism parameters	GAP.el_act GAP.el_fgs GAP.el_fpe
Random search parameters	GAP.rs_fgs GAP.rs_fps GAP.rs_srp GAP.rs_sap GAP.rs_frp GAP.rs_fea
Reporting parameters	GAP.rp_lvl GAP.rp_gbr GAP.rp_crh
Objective plot parameters	GAP.op_list GAP.op_style GAP.op_sign
Pareto plot parameters	GAP.pp_list GAP.pp_xl GAP.pp_yl GAP.pp_title GAP.pp_style GAP.pp_sign GAP.pp_axis
Distribution plot parameters	GAP.dp_type GAP.dp_np GAP.dp_res
Trim parameters	GAP.trimga
Gene data parameters	GAP.gd_min GAP.gd_max GAP.gd_type GAP.gd_cid

# Genetic Algorithm Parameters (GAP)

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- GAP.fp\_nngen

# generations

- GAP.fp\_ipop

population size

- GAP.fp\_npop

- GAP.fp\_nobj

number of objectives

- GAP.fp\_obj

objective to optimize


# Genetic Algorithm Statistics (GAS)

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<b>GAS.[Field name]</b>	<b>Description</b>
GAS.cg	Current generation number
GAS.medianfit	The median fitness values of each objective ( No. of objectives $\times$ No. of generations )
GAS.meanfit	The average fitness values of each objective ( No. of objectives $\times$ No. of generations )
GAS.bestfit	The best fitness values of each objective ( No. of objectives $\times$ No. of generations )
GAS.bestgenes	The best gene values for each objective over the generations (No. of genes $\times$ No. of generations $\times$ No. of objectives )
GAS.ne	The number of the total objective function evaluations

# GOSET Genetic Operators

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- Diversity control
- Scaling
- Selection
- Death
- Mating & crossover
- Mutation
- Gene Repair 
- Migration
- Elitism
- Random search
- Deterministic Trim

## Example: Minimize the Banana

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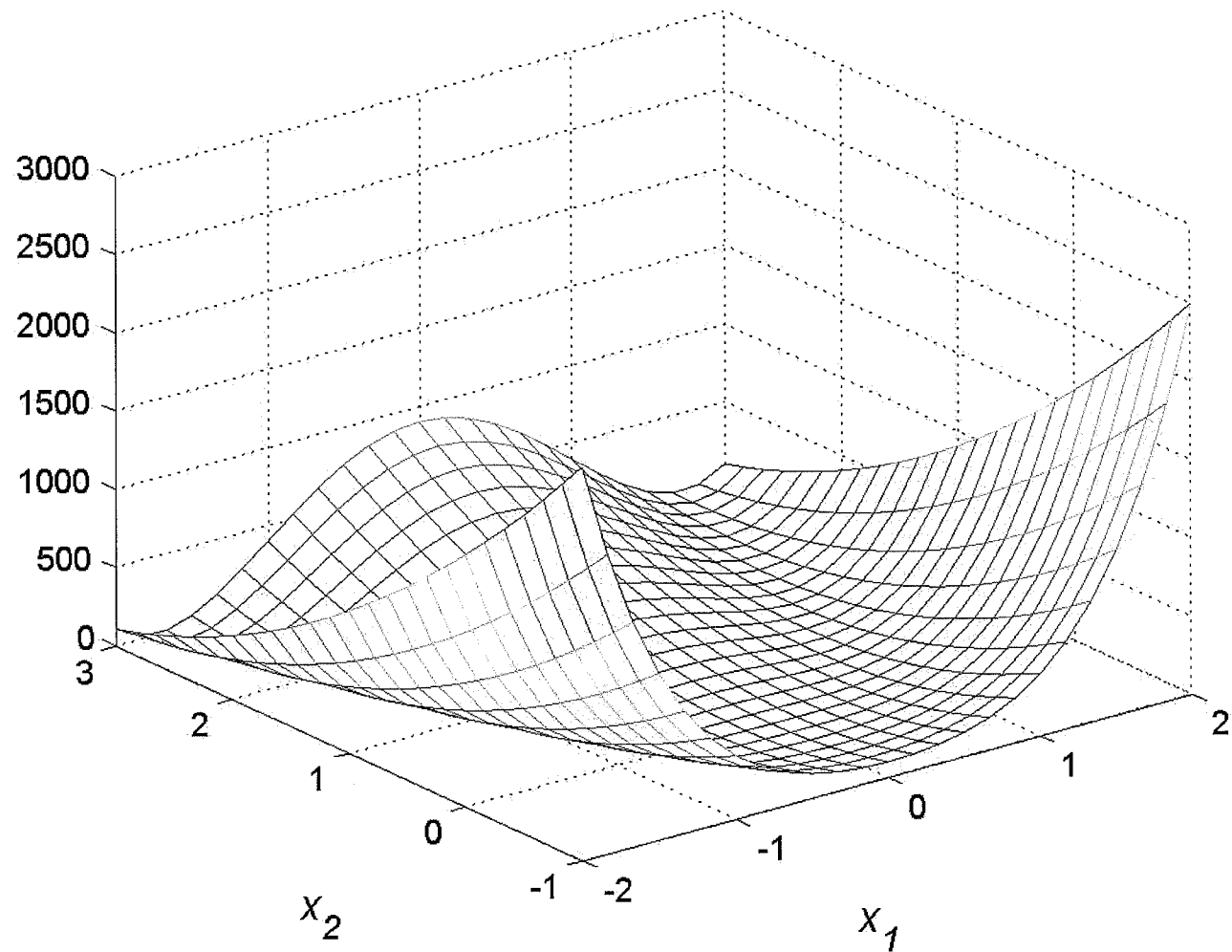
- Minimization of Rosenbrock's function

$$\min f(x_1, x_2) = 100(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (1 - x_1)^2$$

- Also called as **banana** function due to the shape of the level sets
- The global minimizer is located at (1,1)

# Banana Function

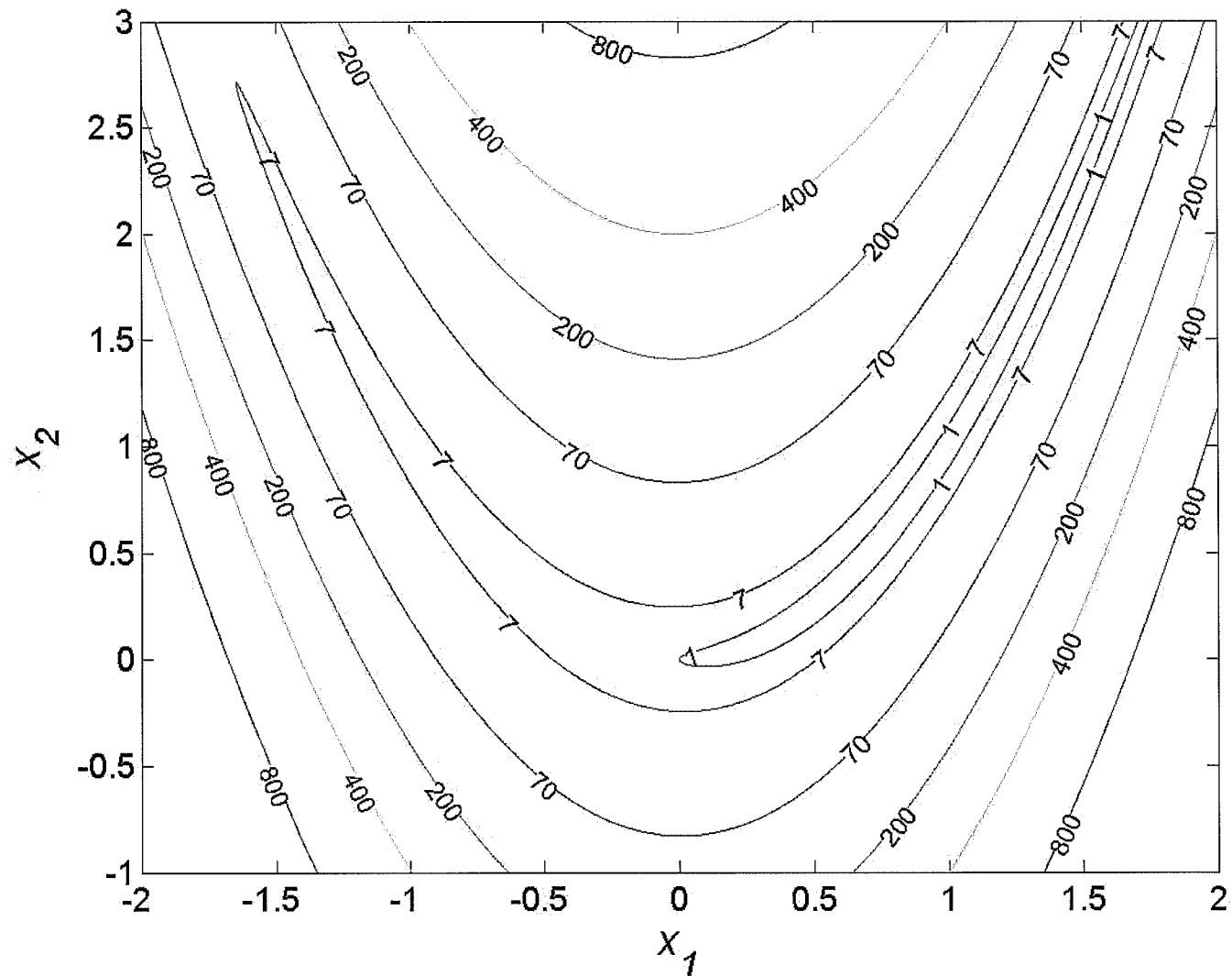
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# Banana Function Level Sets

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# Fitness Function

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- Rosenbrock's function is non-negative
- The inverse of the Rosenbrock's function is used as the fitness function

$$f(x_1, x_2) = \frac{1}{\underbrace{100(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (1 - x_1)^2}_{+ 0.001}}$$

# banana.m

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```
% Optimization of Rosenbrock's Problem

% Initialize the parameters
GAP=gapdefault;          % load the default values for GAP

% Define gene parameters
%
%           x1      x2
% gene      1      2
GAP.gd_min  = [  -2   -1   ];
GAP.gd_max  = [   2    3   ];
GAP.gd_type = [   2    2   ];
GAP.gd_cid  = [   1    1   ];

% Execute GOSET
[P,GAS,best_parameters] = gaoptimize(@banana_fitness,GAP);
```

# banana\_fitness.m

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% banana_fitness.m
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%
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% Banana Function
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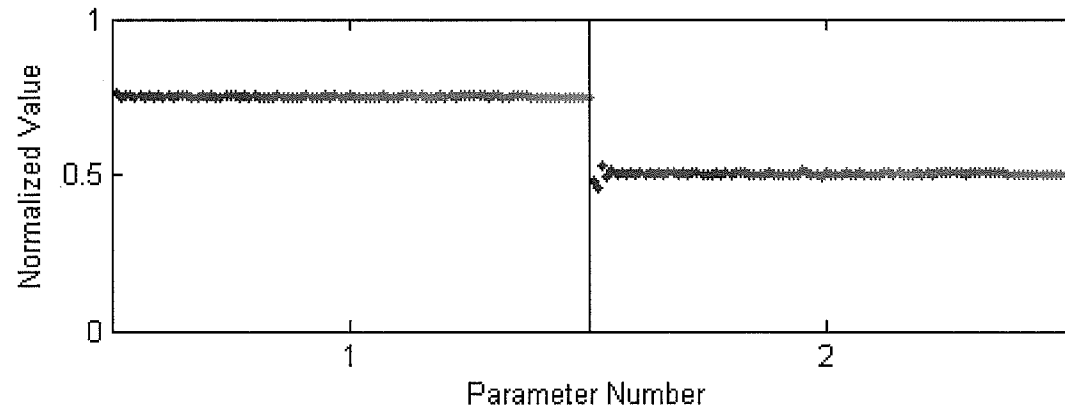
```
function f = banana_fitness(x)
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f1 = 100*(x(2) - x(1)^2)^2 + (1 - x(1))^2; % Banana function
```

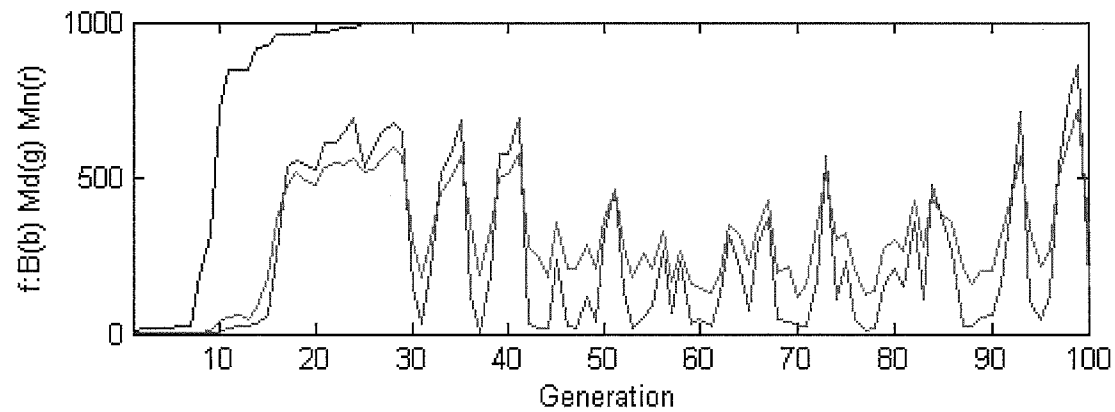
```
f = 1/(0.001 + f1); % Fitness function
```

# Results

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best\_parameters =  
1.0000  
1.0000



# Alternate Call (banana2.m)

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```
% Optimization of Rosenbrock's problem

% Initialize the parameters
GAP=gapdefault;

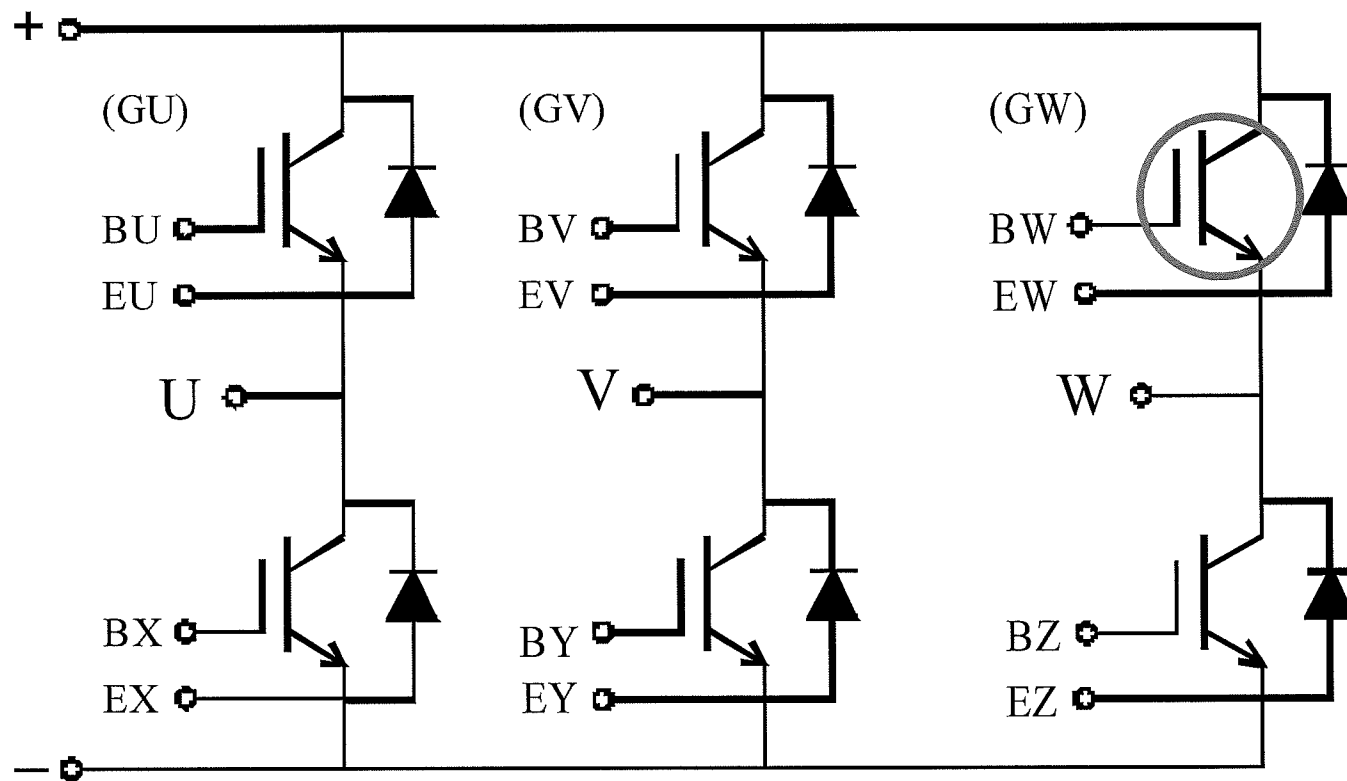
% Define gene parameters
%           min   max   type   chrom
GAP.gd = [  -2    2    2     1;    % gene 1
          -1    3    2     1];    % gene 2

% Execute GOSET
[P,GAS,best_parameters] = gaoptimize(@banana_fitness,GAP);
```

# Example 2: Curve Fitting Losses

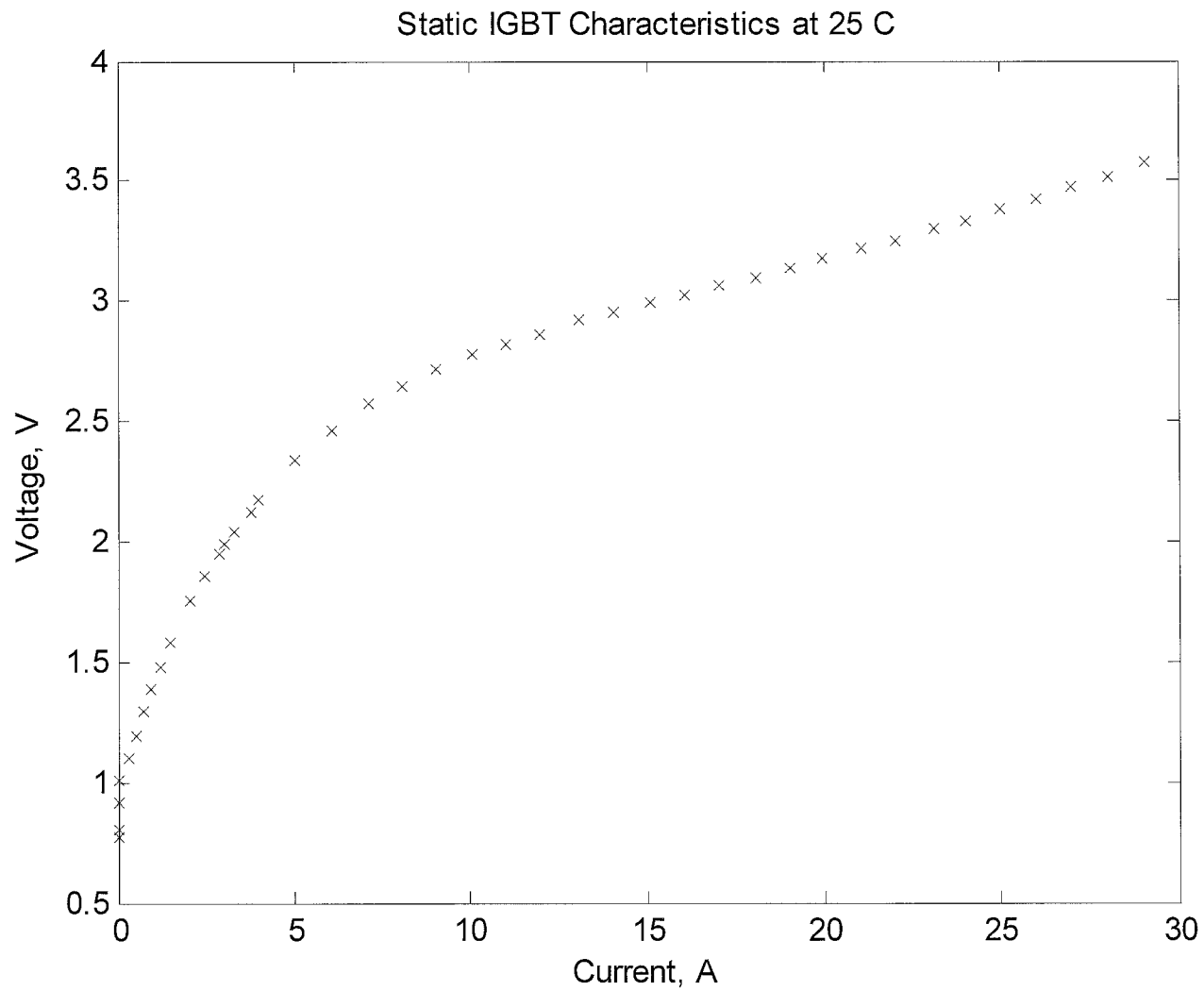
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- Characterize the i-v curve of the IGBT in a FUJI 6MBI 30L-060 IGBT module (gate voltage = 15 V)



# Measured Data

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## Step 1: Decide on Representation

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- Assumed that the voltage ( $v$ ) can be expressed as the function of current ( $i$ ) as

$$v = ai + (bi)^c$$

- Terms  $a$ ,  $b$ , and  $c$  are constants to be identified using GOSET

# Fitness Function

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- Take set of  $K$  measurements
  - $v_k$  voltage of  $k$ 'th measurement
  - $i_k$  current at  $k$ 'th measurement
- Fitness function

$$f(a, b, c) = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^K \left| 1 - \frac{ai_k + (bi_k)^c}{v_k} \right| + 10^{-3}}$$

# igbt\_fit.m

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```
% this routine returns the fitness of the IGBT conduction
% loss parameters based on the mean percentage error

function fitness = igbt_fit(parameters,data,fignum)

% assign genes 2 to parameters
a=parameters(1);
b=parameters(2);
c=parameters(3);

vpred=a*data.i+(b*data.i).^c;
error=abs(1-vpred./data.v);
fitness=1.0/(1.0e-6+mean(error));
```

# igbt\_fit.m (continued)

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```
if nargin>2

    figure(fignum);
    Npoints=200;
    ip=linspace(0,max(data.i),Npoints);
    vp=a*ip+(b*ip).^c;
    plot(data.i,data.v,'bx',ip,vp,'r')
    title('Voltage Versus Current');
    xlabel('Current, A');
    ylabel('Voltage, V');
    legend({'Measured','Fit'});

    figure(fignum+1);
    Npoints=200;
    plot(data.i,data.v.*data.i,'bx',ip,vp.*ip,'r')
    title('Power Versus Current');
    xlabel('Current, A');
    ylabel('Power, V');
    legend({'Measured','Fit'});

end
```

# igbt.m

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```
% load experimental data
load igbt_data.mat

% plot the raw data
figure(1);
plot(igbt_data.i,igbt_data.v,'x');
xlabel('Current, A');
ylabel('Voltage, V');
title('Static IGBT Characteristics at 25 C');

% gafit
GAP=gapdefault;

% set up regions
GAP.mg_nreg=4;
GAP.mg_tmig=20;
GAP.mg_pmig=0.05;
GAP.mc_alg=10;
```

# igbt.m

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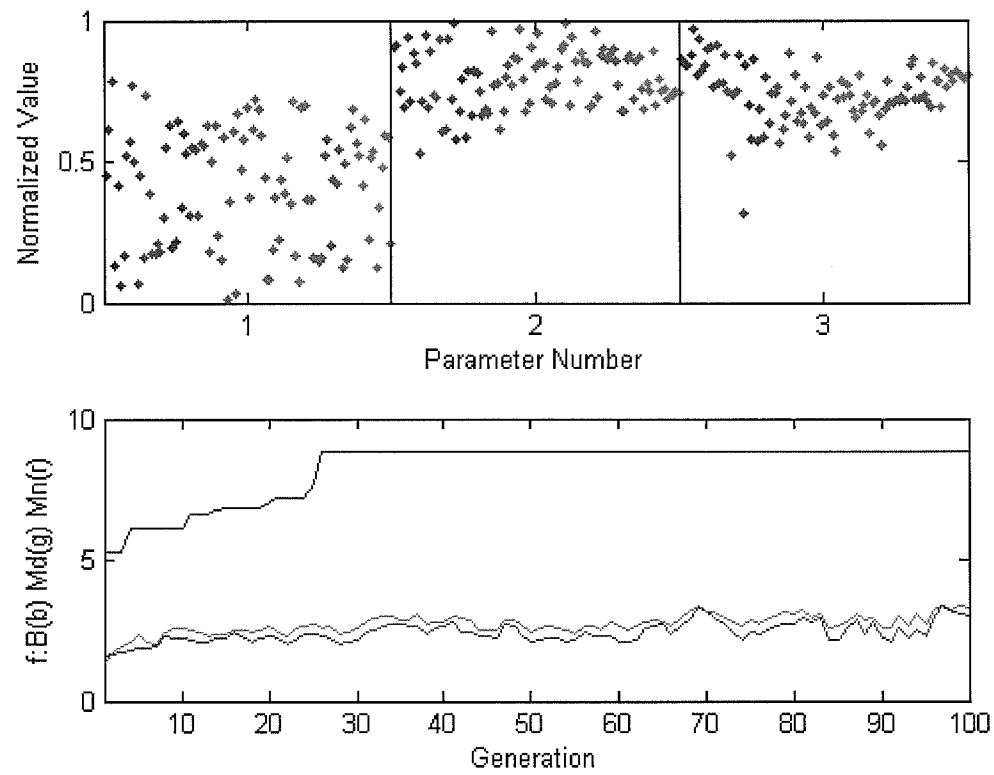
```
% set up genes
%           min  max  type  chrom
GAP.gd = [1e-8 1e+2  3    1;    % a
          1e-6 1e+3  3    1;    % b
          1e-3 1e+0  3    1];  % c

% do the optimization
[fp,GAS,bestparameters]= gaoptimize(@igbt_fit,GAP,igbt_data);

% plot the best fit
igbt_fit(bestparameters,igbt_data,4);
```

# Evolution

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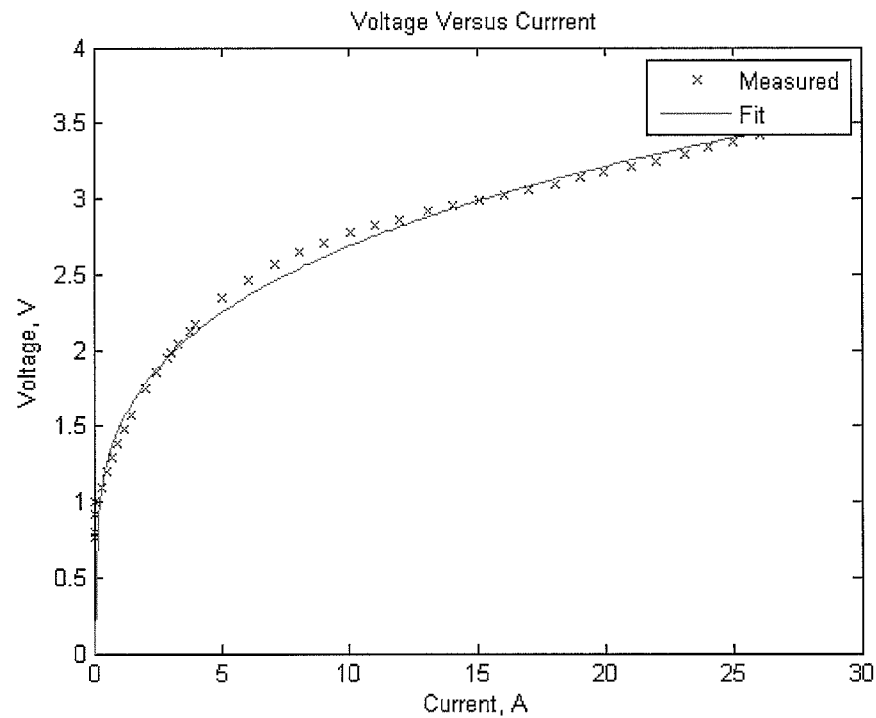


# Result

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- After 100 generations, the best individual has the following parameter values.

$$a = 0, \quad b = 4.6415, \quad c = 0.2574$$

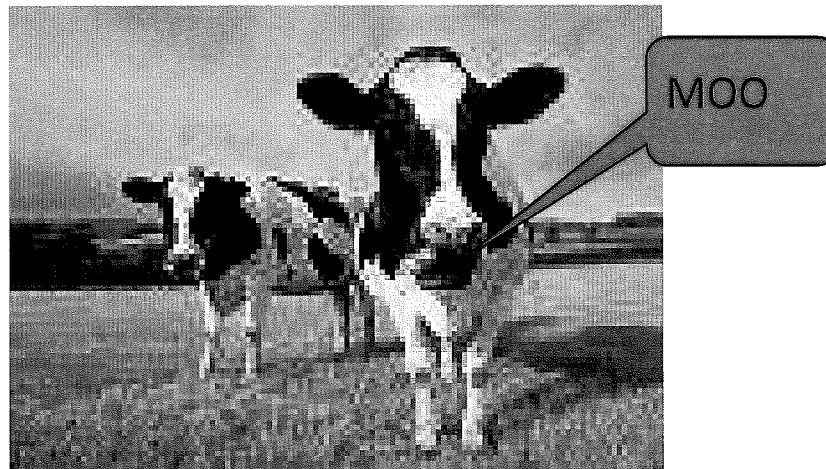




# Multi-Objective Optimization (MOO)

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- Involve more than one objective function that are to be minimized or maximized
- Answer is set of solutions that define the best tradeoff between competing objectives



# General Form of MOOP

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- Mathematically

$$\min/\max f_m(\mathbf{x}), \quad m=1, 2, \dots, M$$

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

$$h_k(\mathbf{x}) = 0, \quad k=1, 2, \dots, K$$

$$x_i^{(L)} \leq x_i \leq x_i^{(U)}, \quad i=1, 2, \dots, n$$

lower bound                      upper bound

# Dominance

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- In the single-objective optimization problem:

$$F(x_2) > F(x_1)$$

- In multi-objective optimization problem:

$$\begin{aligned} f_1(x_2) &> f_1(x_1) \\ f_2(x_1) &> f_2(x_2) \end{aligned}$$

# Definition of Dominance

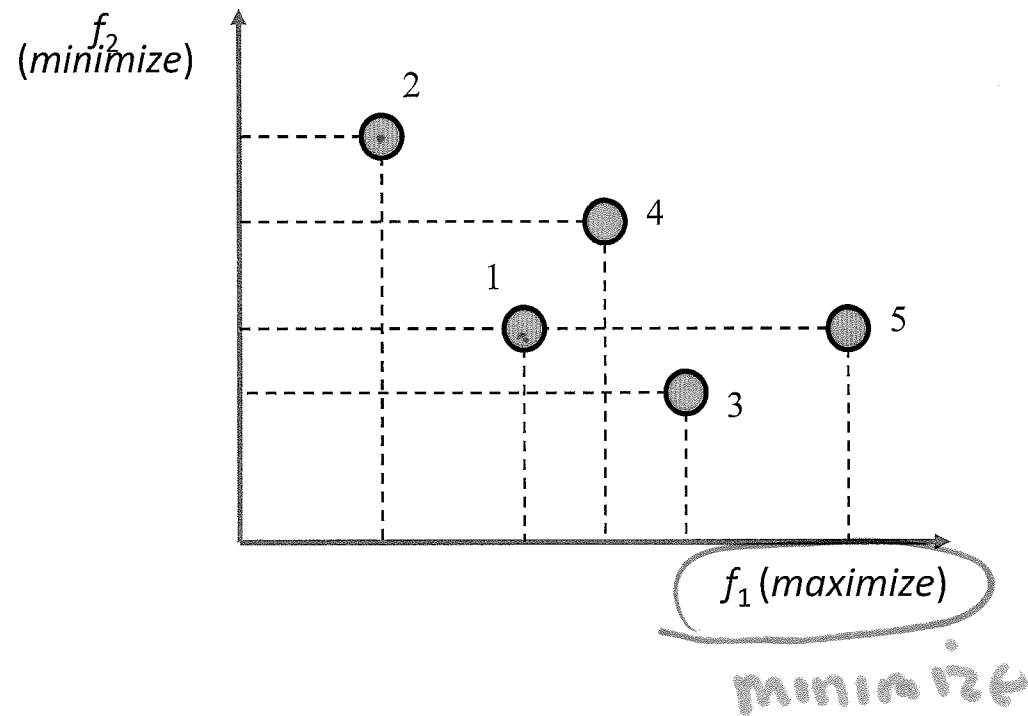
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- $x_1$  dominates  $x_2$ , if

$x_1$  is at least as good as  $x_2$  in all objectives

$x_1$  is strictly better than  $x_2$  in at least one objective

# Example Dominance Test



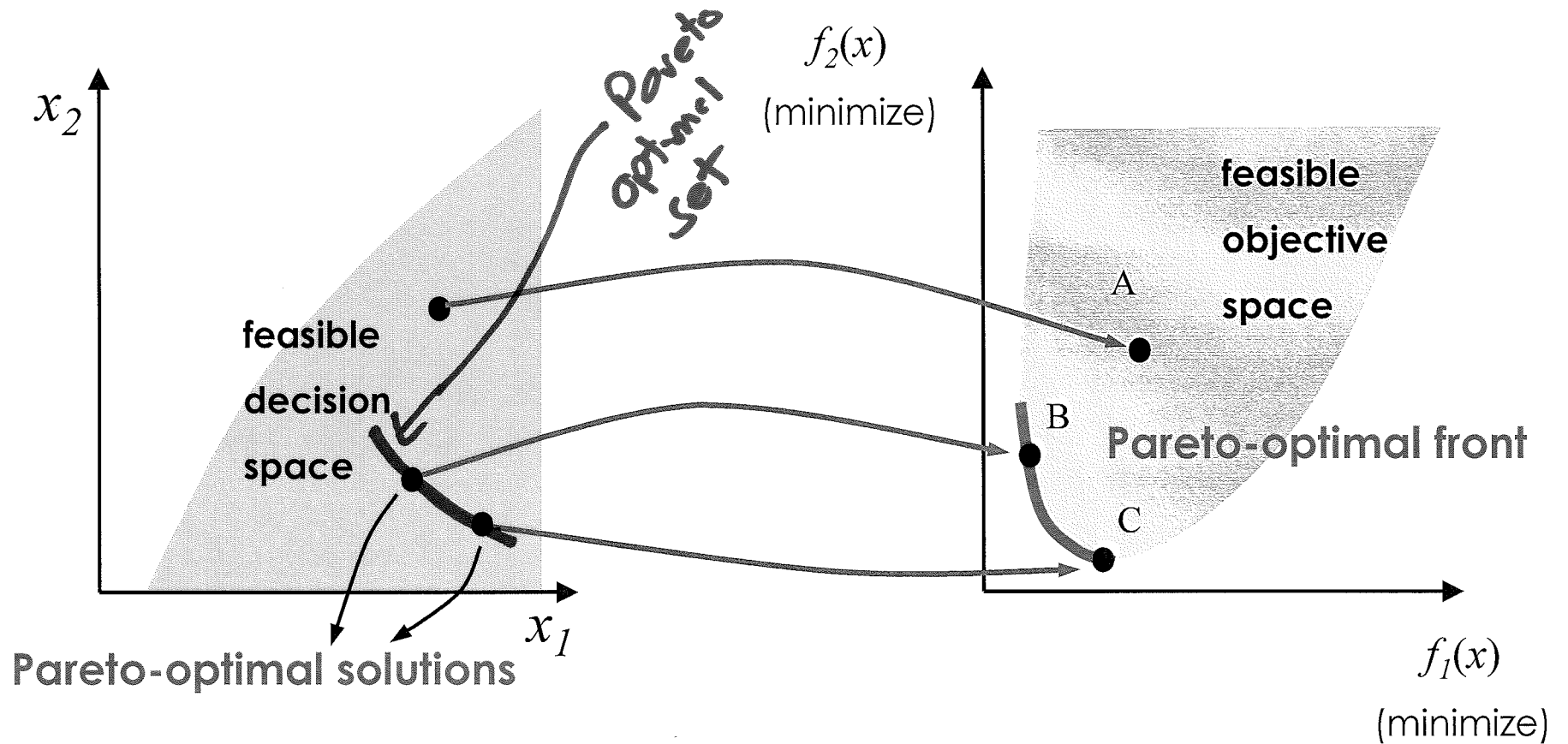
- 1 Vs 2:
- 1 Vs 5:
- 1 Vs 4:

# Pareto Optimal Solution

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- **Non-dominated solution set**
  - Given a set of solutions, the non-dominated solution set is a set of all the solutions that are not dominated by any member of the solution set
- The non-dominated set of the entire feasible decision space is called the **Pareto-optimal set**
- The boundary defined by the set of all point mapped from the Pareto optimal set is called the **Pareto-optimal front**

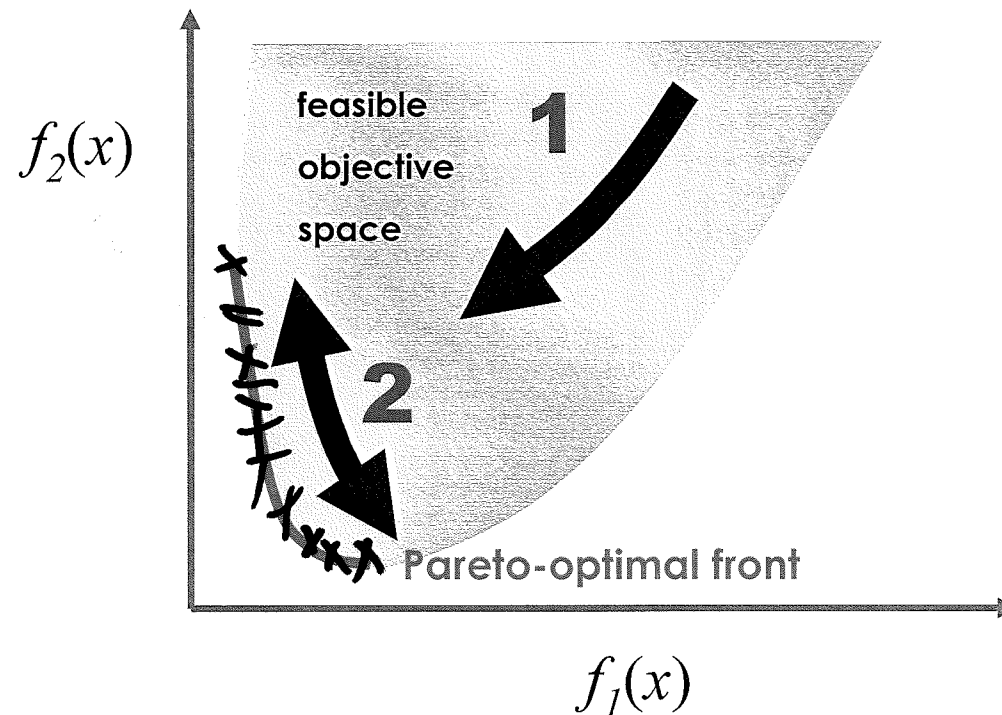
# Pareto Optimal Solution



# Goals in MOO

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- Find set of solutions as close as possible to Pareto-optimal front
- To find a set of solutions as diverse as possible





# Multi-Objective GAs

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- Our desired answer: a set of solutions
- Traditional optimization methods operate on a candidate solution
- Genetic algorithms fundamentally operate on a set of candidate solutions

# Multi-Objective MOEAs

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## Non-Elitist MOEAs

- Vector evaluated GA
- Vector optimized ES
- Weight based GA
- Random weighted GA
- Multiple-objective GA
- Non-dominated Sorting GA
- Niche Pareto GA

## Elitist MOEAs

- Elitist Non-dominated Sorting GA
- Distance-based Pareto GA
- Strength Pareto GA
- Pareto-archived ES

# Multi-Objective Optimization in GOSET

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- GOSET employ an **elitist GA** for the multi-objective optimization problem
- **Diversity control algorithms** are also employed to prevent over-crowding of the individuals in a specific region of the solution space
- The non-dominated solutions are identified using the recursive algorithm proposed by **Kung** et al.

# Example: Tanaka Problem

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- Tanaka problem is a constrained optimization problem with two objectives to be minimized

$$\min f_1(x_1, x_2) = x_1$$

$$\min f_2(x_1, x_2) = x_2$$

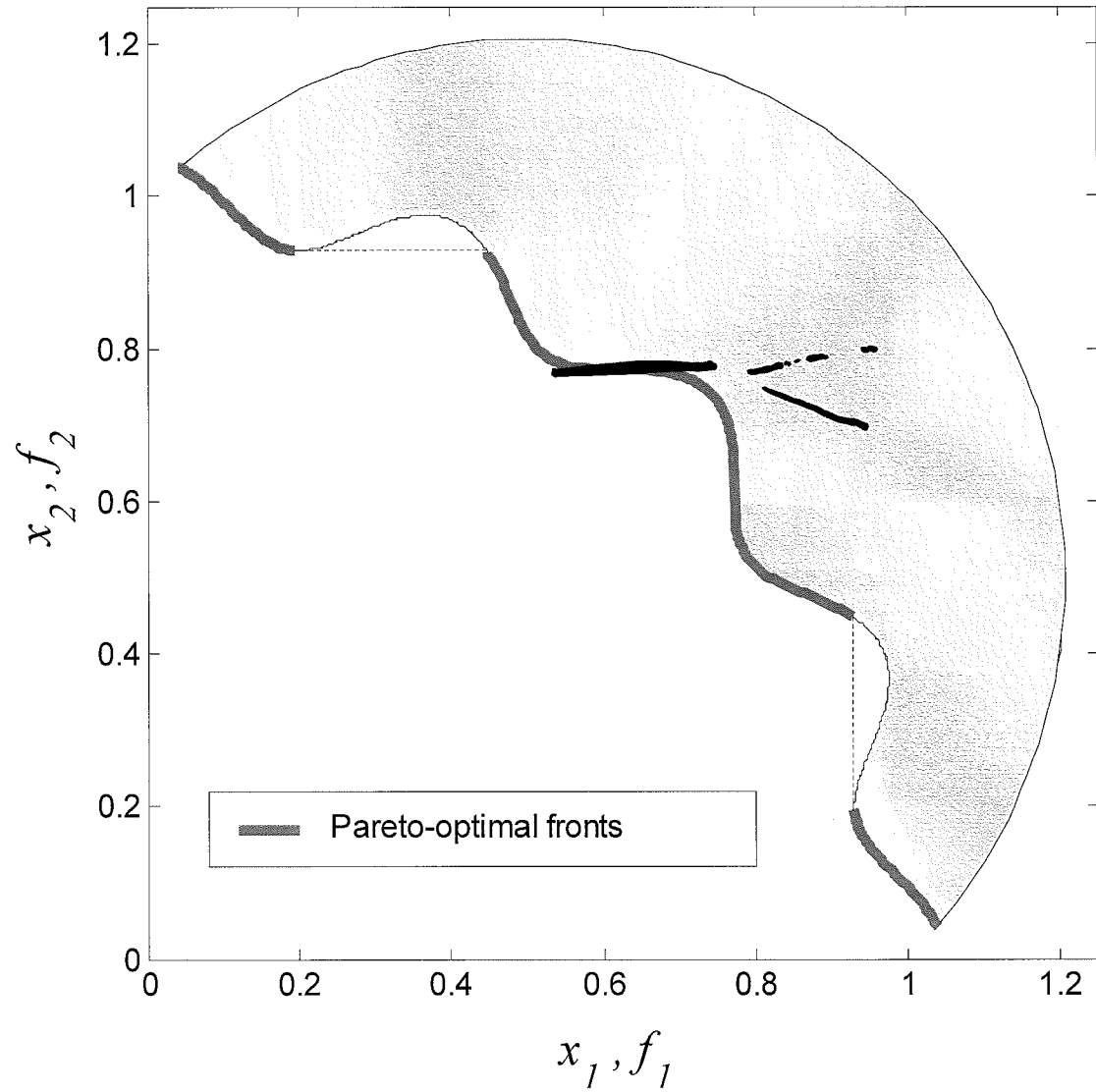
$$\text{subject to } C_1(x_1, x_2) = x_1^2 + x_2^2 - 1 - 0.1 \cos\left(16 \arctan \frac{x_1}{x_2}\right) \geq 0, \quad 0 \leq x_1 \leq \pi,$$

$$C_2(x_1, x_2) = (x_1 - 0.5)^2 + (x_2 - 0.5)^2 \leq 0.5, \quad 0 \leq x_2 \leq \pi.$$

- Note the variable space is also the objective space

# Tanaka Problem

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# tanaka.m

```
% This is a multi-objective test function, with unconstrained domain;
% proposed by Poloni (MOP3, p.118 [1])
%
% Reference:
% [1] C. A. Coello Coello, D. A. Van Veldhuizen, and G. B. Lamont,
%      "Evolutionary Algorithms for Solving Multi-Objective Problems"
%      Kluwer Academic Publishers, 2002
%
% date: 12.5.2005
```

```
% Initialize the parameters
GAP=gapdefault(2,0,200,200);
```

```
% Use a pareto plot
GAP.op_list = []; % objectives list for objective plots
GAP.pp_list = [ 1, 2]; % gene list for Pareto plot
GAP.pp_sign = [-1,-1]; % sign of fitness for each objective
% (1=positive,-1=negative)
GAP.pp_axis = [0 1.25 0 1.25]; % axis limits for Pareto plot
```

```
%
% gene      x1      x2
GAP.gd_min = [ 0      0      ];
GAP.gd_max = [ pi     pi     ];
GAP.gd_type = [ 2      2      ];
GAP.gd_cid = [ 1      1      ];
```

```
[P,GAS,best]= gaoptimize(@tanaka_fit,GAP);
```

```
% Plot final solutions
figure(2)
plot(best(1,:),best(2,:), 'x');
axis([0 1.25 0 1.25]);
xlabel('f_1');
ylabel('f_2');
axis square;
title('Pareto Front')
```

population size  
# generations

# of objectives

objective to optimize

# tanaka\_fitness.m

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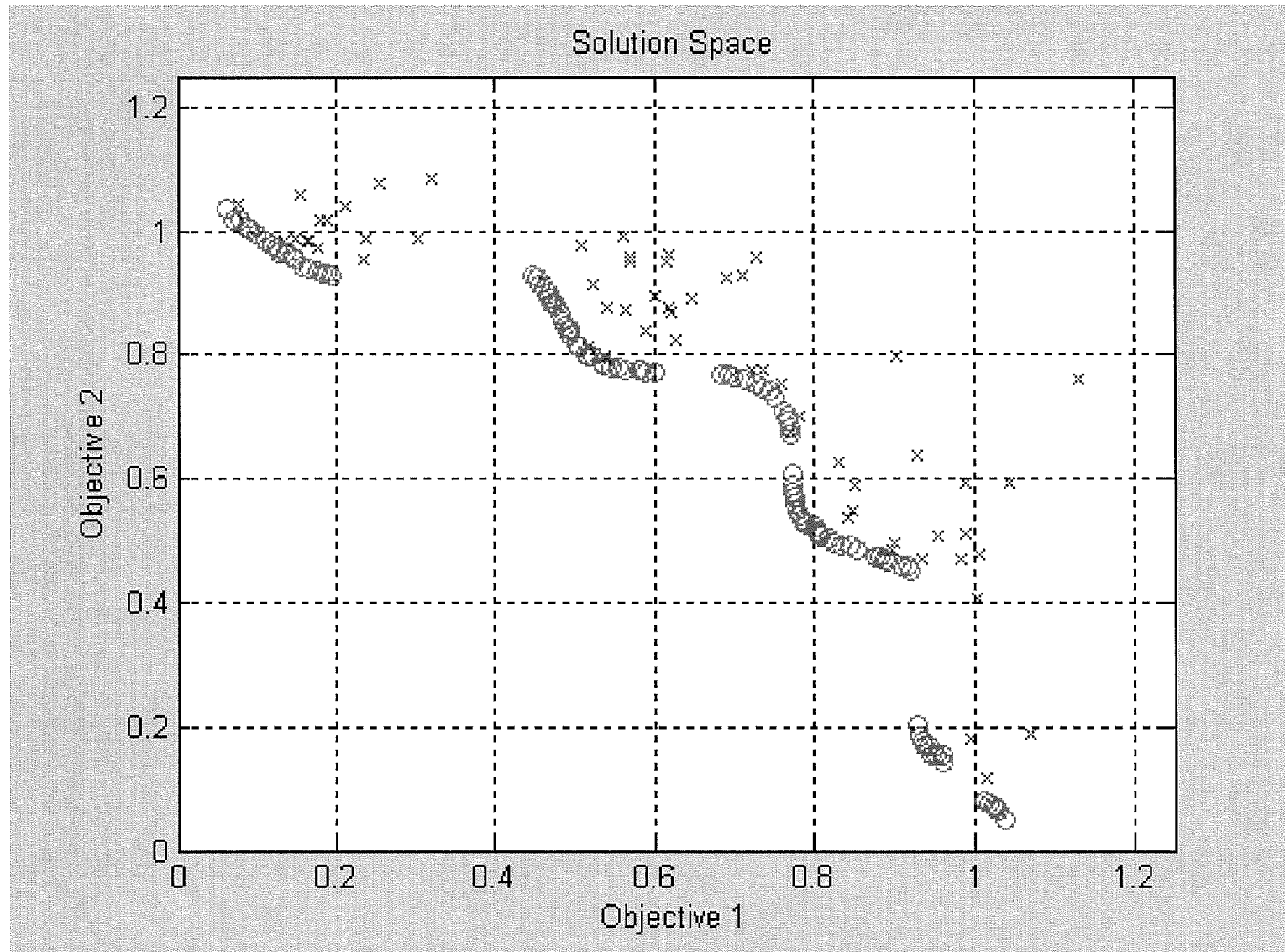
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% This is a multi-objective test function, with unconstrained domain;
% proposed by Poloni (MOP3, p.110 [1])
%
% Reference:
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%      "Evolutionary Algorithms for Solving Multi-Objective Problems"
%      Kluwer Academic Publishers, 2002
%
% date: 12.5.2003

function [f] = tanaka(x)

C1 = x(1)^2+x(2)^2-1-0.1*cos(16*atan(x(1)/x(2))) >= 0;
C2 = (x(1)-0.5)^2+(x(2)-0.5)^2 <= 0.5;

if C1 & C2
    f(1) = -x(1);
    f(2) = -x(2);
else
    f(1) = -10;
    f(2) = -10;
end
```

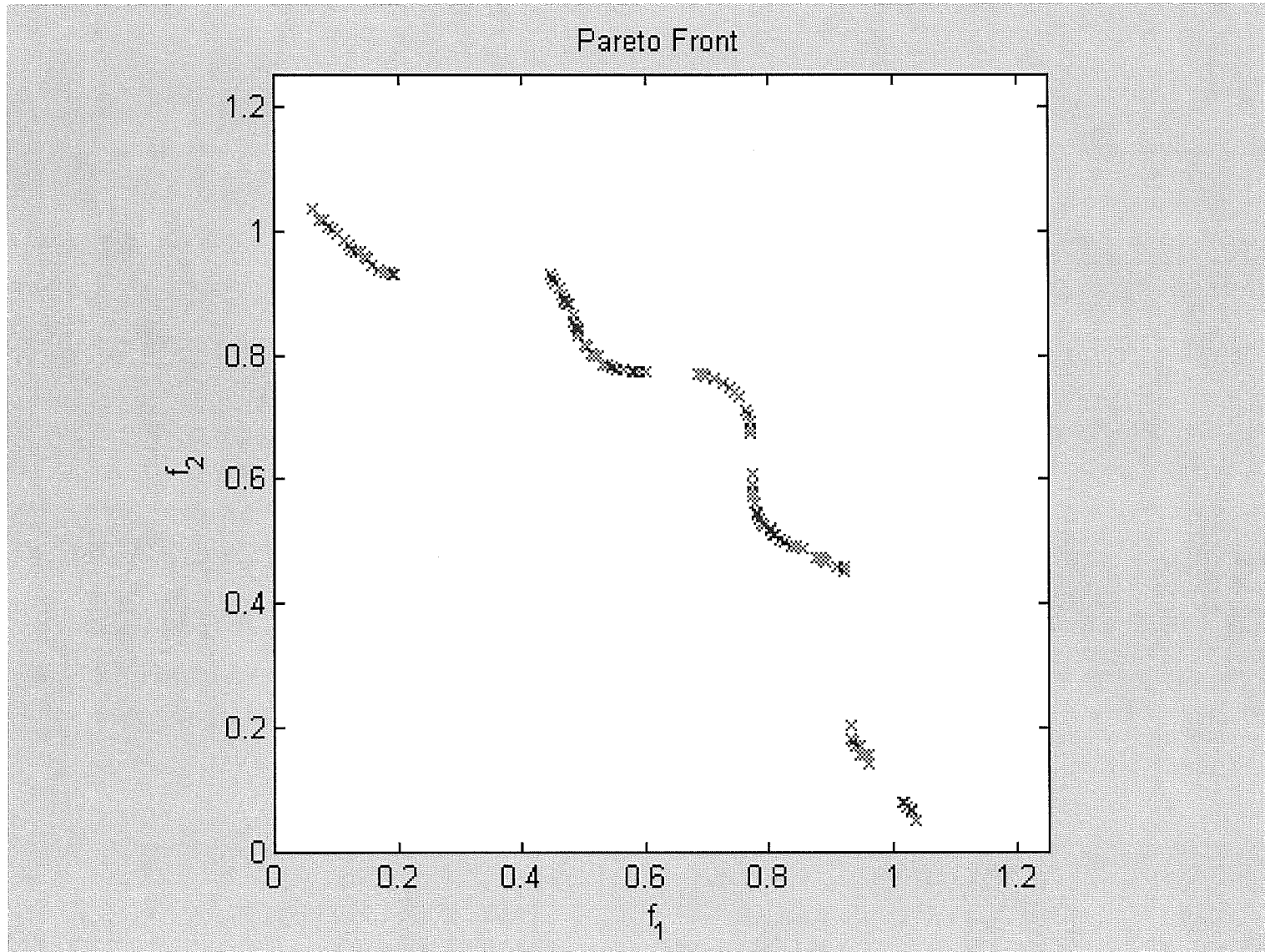
# Pareto Plot





# Non Dominated Solutions

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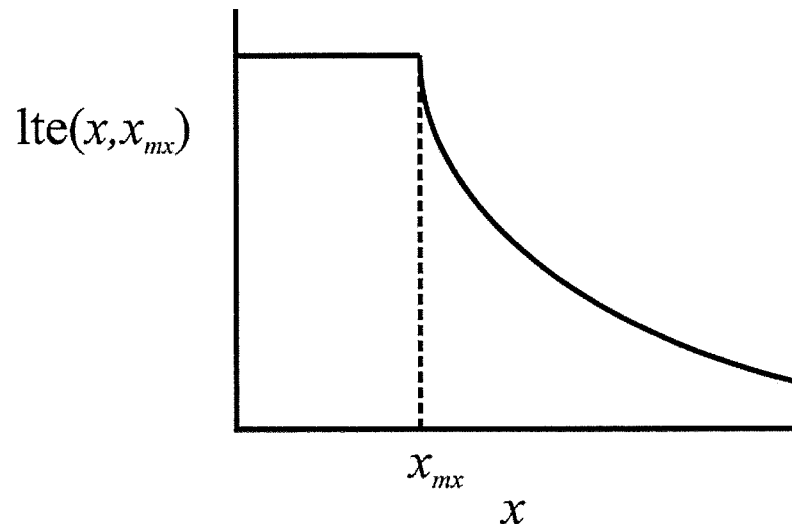


# Formulation of Fitness Functions

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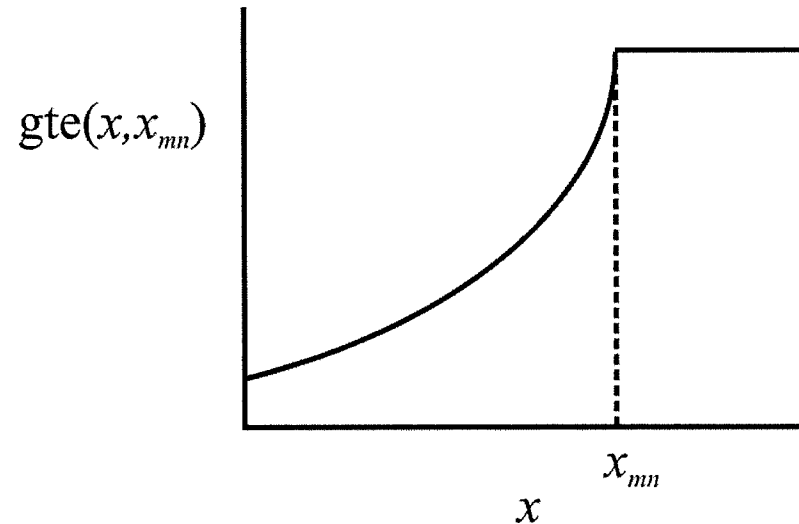
- Setting up constraints

$$\text{lte}(x, x_{mx}) = \begin{cases} 1 & x \leq x_{mx} \\ \frac{1}{1 + x - x_{mx}} & x > x_{mx} \end{cases}$$



(a) less-than-or-equal-to function

$$\text{gte}(x, x_{mn}) = \begin{cases} 1 & x \geq x_{mn} \\ \frac{1}{1 + x_{mn} - x} & x < x_{mn} \end{cases}$$



(b) greater-than-or-equal-to function