

$$\min_x f(x) + g(x) \quad \text{Primal}$$

$$\max_u -f^*(a) - g^*(-u) \quad \text{Dual}$$

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$$x \in \arg \min_z f(z) - y^T z$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \partial f(x) - y \ni 0.$$

$$\Leftrightarrow y \in \partial f(x)$$

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$$\min_x f(x) \quad \text{st } Ax = b$$

$$L(x, u) = f(x) + u^T (Ax - b)$$

~~Stationarity:~~ Stationarity:

at optimality

$$x^* \text{ minimizes } \underbrace{f(x) + u^{*T} Ax}_{\text{stationary}} - \cancel{u^{*T} b}$$

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$$\alpha I \preceq \nabla^2 f(x) \preceq LI$$

strong  
convexity  
of  $f$

Lipschitzness  
of  $\nabla f$

together: give  $O(\log(1/\epsilon))$  rate for grad desc.

strong convexity:  
alone only gives  $O(1/\epsilon)$

$$A = [A_1 \dots A_B]$$

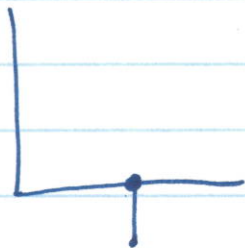
$$x = (x_1, \dots, x_B)$$

$$Ax = \sum A_i x_i$$

$$\min_x f(x) + u^T Ax$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \min_x \sum_i f_i(x_i) + \sum_i u^T A_i x_i$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \min_{x_i} f_i(x_i) + u^T A_i x_i \quad i=1, \dots, B \text{ separately}$$



$$Ax = b$$

$$A_1 x_1 + \dots + A_B x_B = b$$

$$a_i^T x = b_i$$

$a_i$  rows of  $A$

$$x^* \in \operatorname{argmin} f(x) + u^T Ax$$

$$\operatorname{argmin} f(x) + \sum_j u_j (Ax)_j$$

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$$\text{so } x^* \in \operatorname{argmax} g(x) - \sum u_j (Ax)_j$$

$\uparrow$  utility function  $g = -f$       $\uparrow$  price      $\uparrow$  usage of resource  $j$

if  $f(x) = \sum f_i(x_i)$   
and  $Ax = b \iff \sum A_i x_i = b$

then  $\|\sum A_i x_i - b\|_2$  <sup>isn't</sup> ~~doesn't~~ decomposable!

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$$x^{(k)} = \operatorname{argmin} \{ \quad \}$$

$$u^{(k)} = u^{(k-1)} + t_k (Ax^{(k)} - b)$$

↑  
choose to be  $\rho$

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$$L_p(x, z, u) = \mathbb{1}_C(x) + \mathbb{1}_D(z) + \frac{\rho}{2} \|x - z + u\|_2^2$$

min over  $x$ : projection of  $z - u$  onto  $C$

min over  $z$ : projection of  $x + u$  onto  $D$

dual update:  $u^+ = u + x - z$