

Application of Mean Variance Mapping Optimization (MVMO) to Solve OPF Problems

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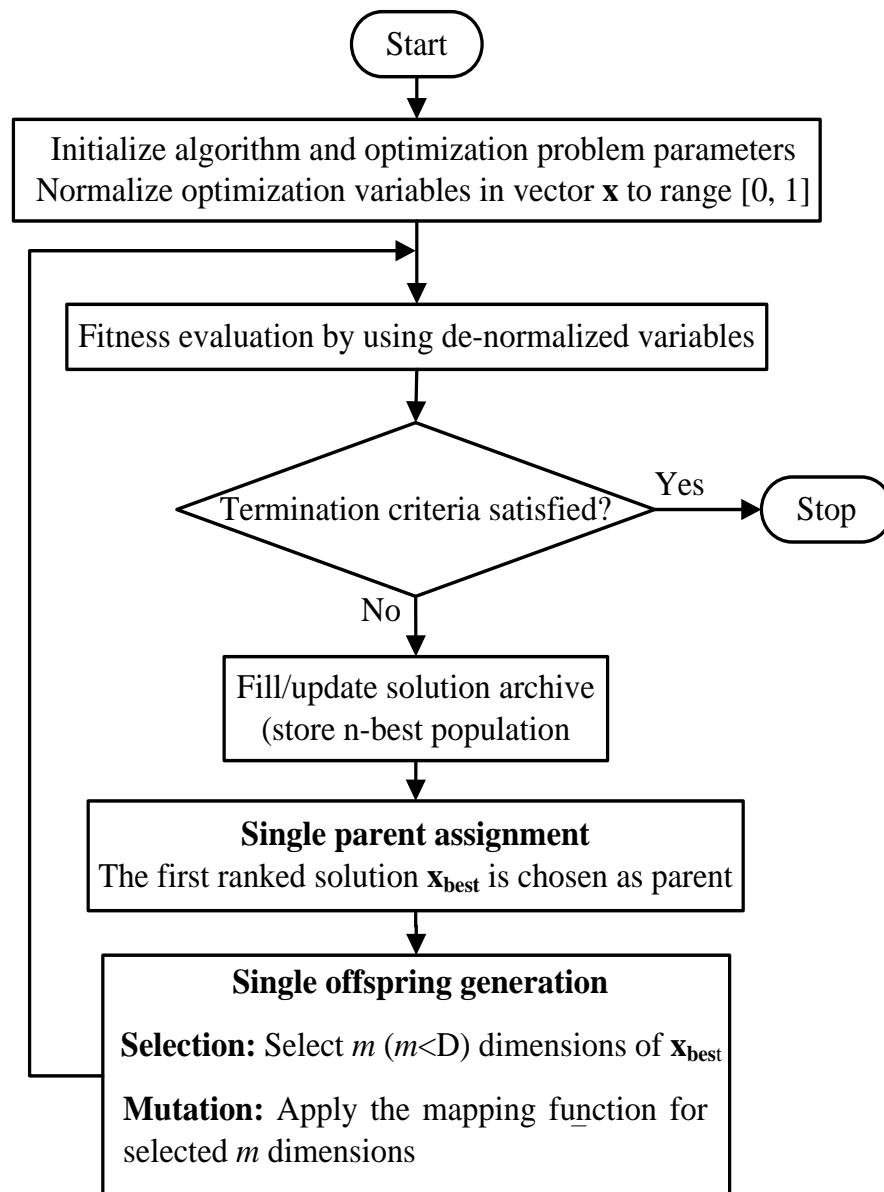
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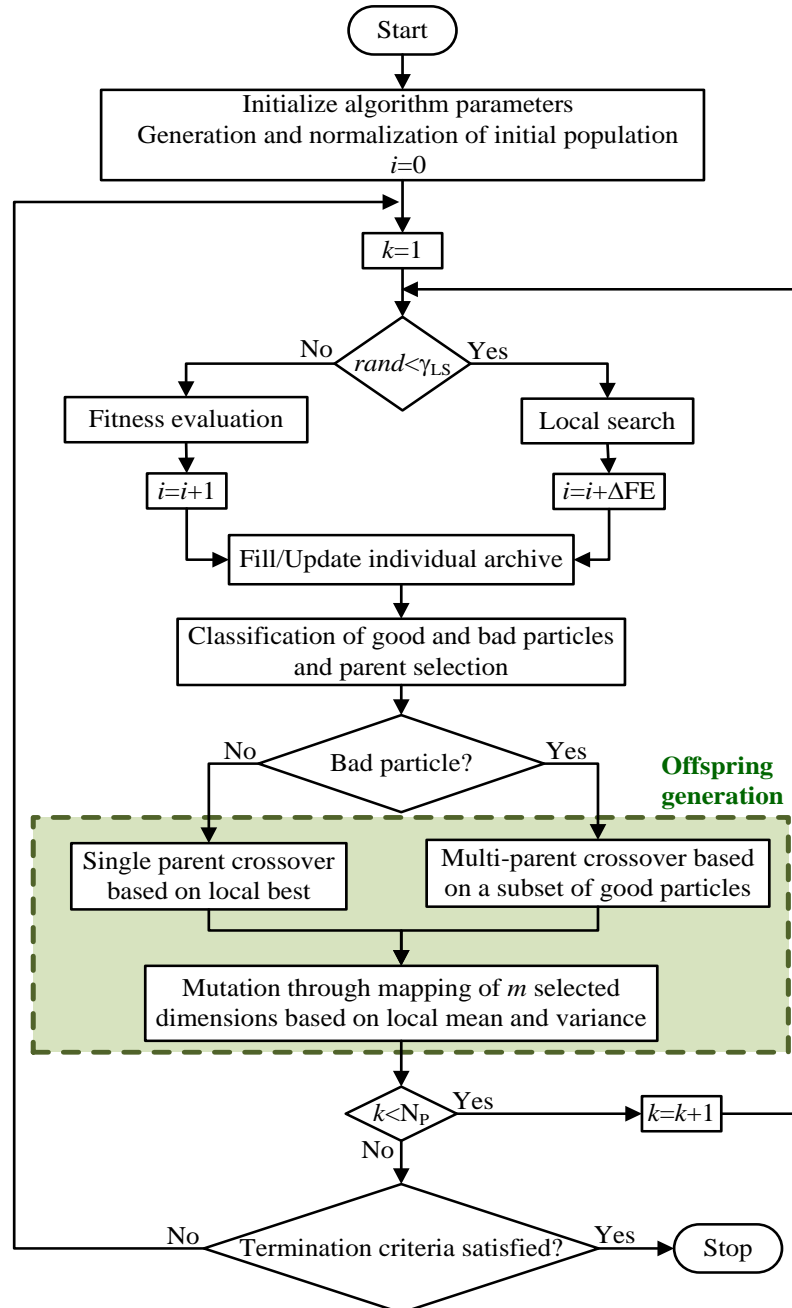
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Rationale behind MVMO

- ❑ Introduced by I. Erlich (University Duisburg-Essen, Germany) in 2010
- ❑ Internal search range of all variables restricted to $[0, 1]$.
- ❑ **Solution archive:** knowledge base for guiding the searching direction.
- ❑ **Mapping function:** Applied for mutating the offspring on the basis of the mean and variance of the n-best population attained so far.



The hybrid variant: MVMO-SH



MVMO-SH: launching local search

Local search performed according to

$$\text{rand} < \gamma_{\text{LS}} \quad (1)$$

where


γ_{LS} : local search probability, e.g. $\gamma_{\text{LS}} = 1.5 / 100 / D$

D: Problem dimension

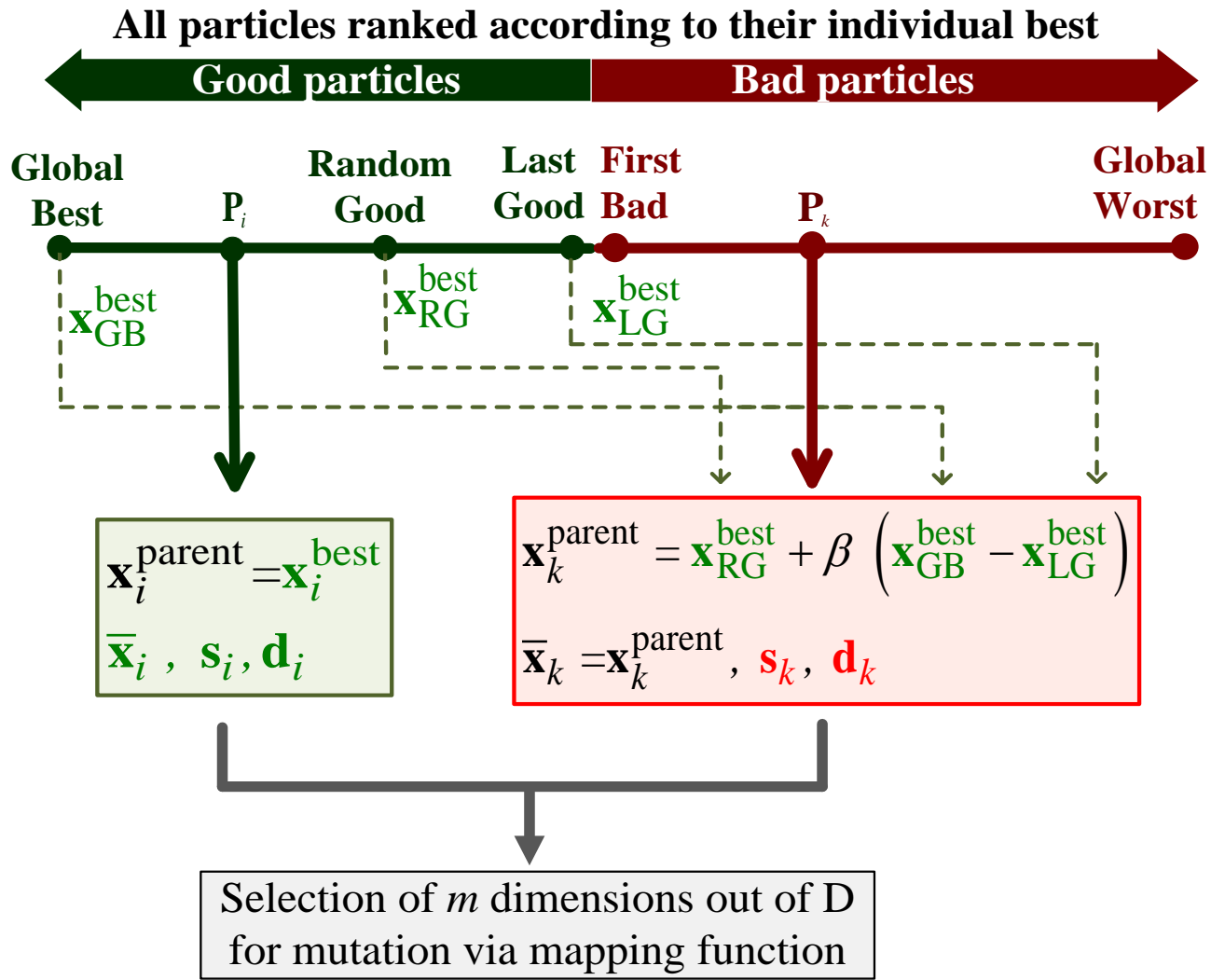
Different methods can be used:

- **Classical:** Interior-Point Method (IPM)
- **Heuristic:** Hill climbing, evolutionary strategies

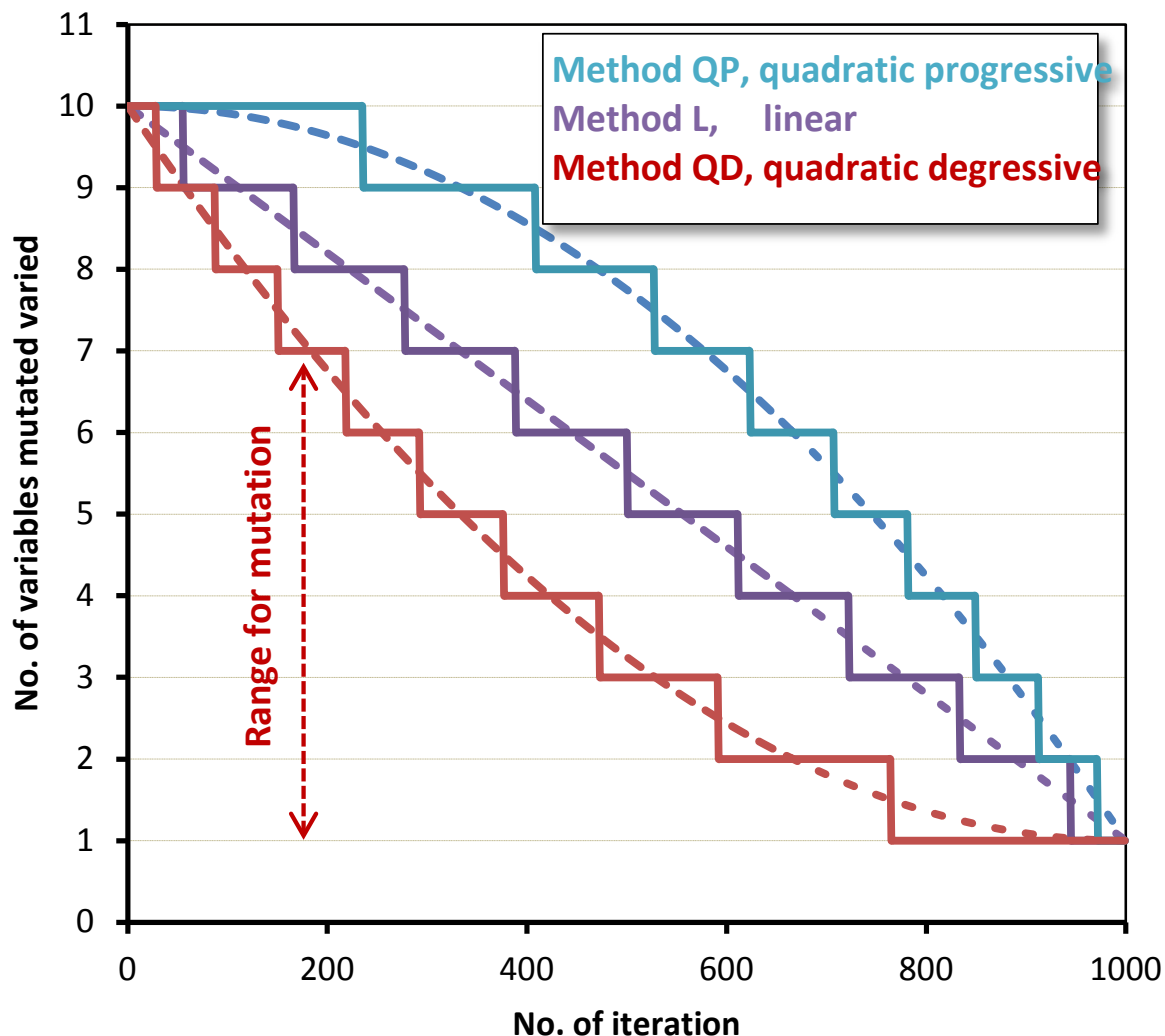
MVMO-SH: solution archive

PARTICLE 1	PARTICLE 2	PARTICLE N_p	Ranking	Fitness	x_1	x_2	...	x_D
			Ranking	Fitness	x_1	x_2	...	x_D
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			1st best	F_1				
			2nd best	F_2		Optimization Variables		
			...					
			Last best	F_A				
			Mean	---	\bar{x}_1	\bar{x}_2	...	\bar{x}_D
Shape	---	s_1	s_2	...	s_D			
d-factor	---	d_1	d_2	...	d_D			

MVMO-SH: parent selection



MVMO-SH: selection of dimensions for mutation

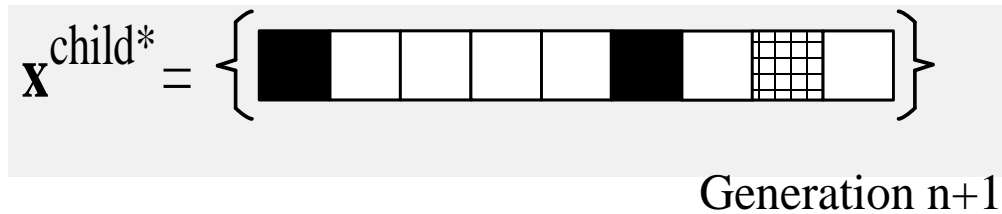
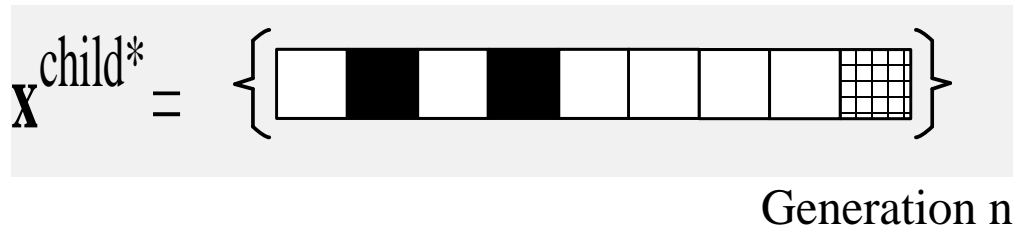


Two different strategies are available:

- The full range corresponds with the number of mutated variables, e.g. $m = 7$
- The number of mutated variables estimated randomly in the given range, e.g. $m = \text{irand}(7)$

MVMO-SH: selection of dimensions for mutation

Random-sequential selection mode

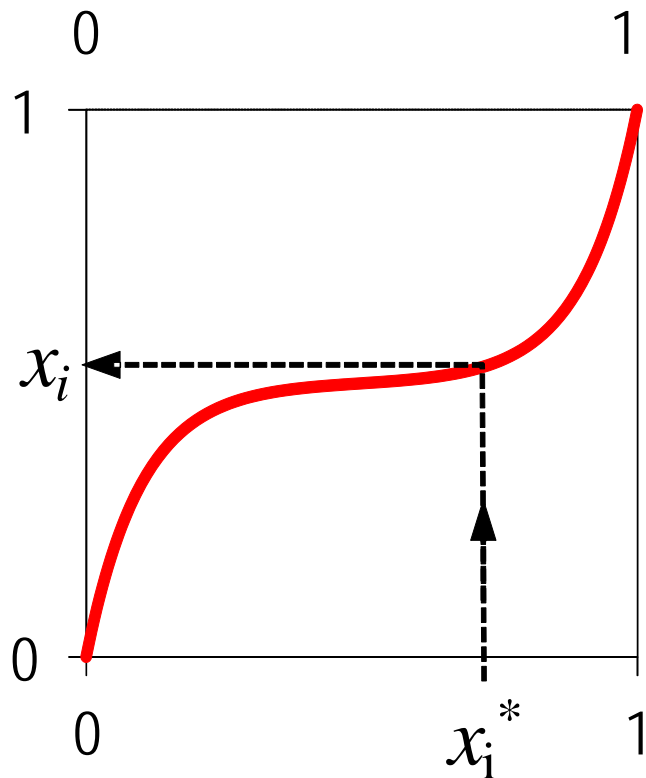


 Value inherited from $\mathbf{x}^{\text{parent}}$

 Selected pivot dimension

 Randomly selected dimension

MVMO-SH: mutation based on mapping function



$$h = \bar{x}_i \cdot (1 - e^{-x \cdot s_1}) + (1 - \bar{x}_i) \cdot e^{-(1-x) \cdot s_2} \quad (2)$$

$$x_i = h_x + (1 - h_1 + h_0) \cdot x_i^* - h_0 \quad (3)$$

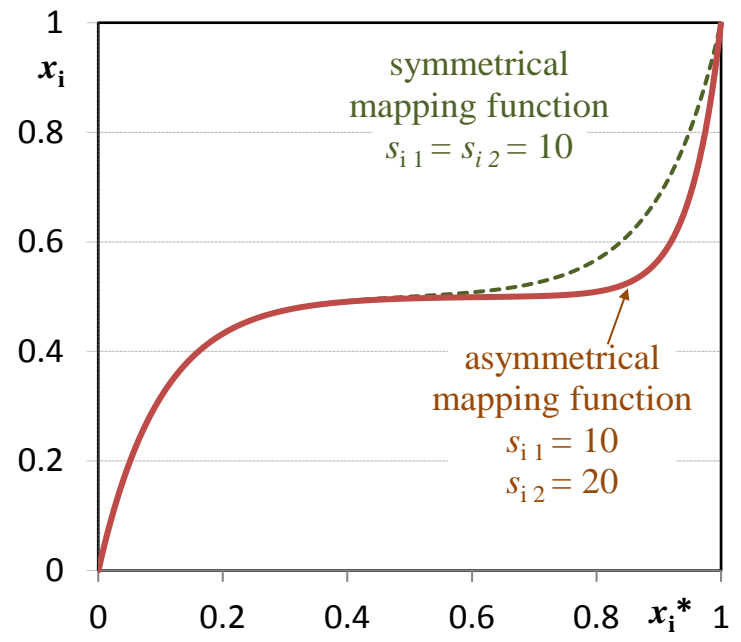
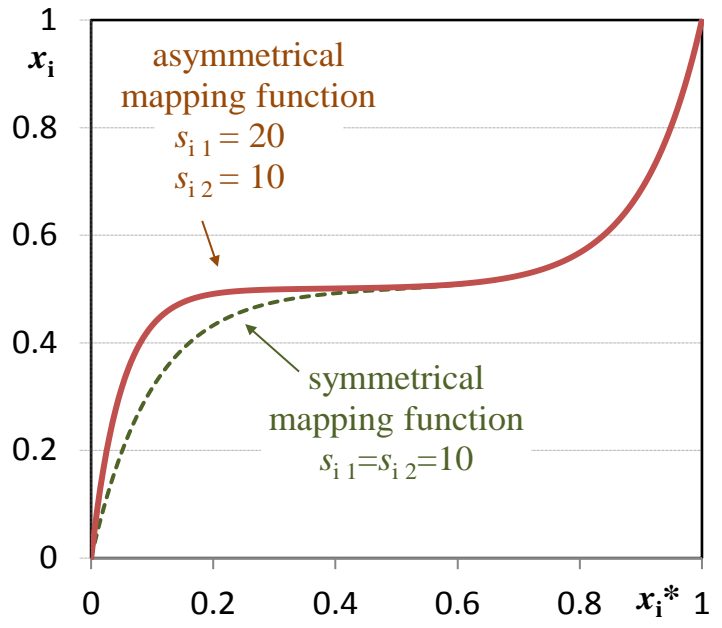
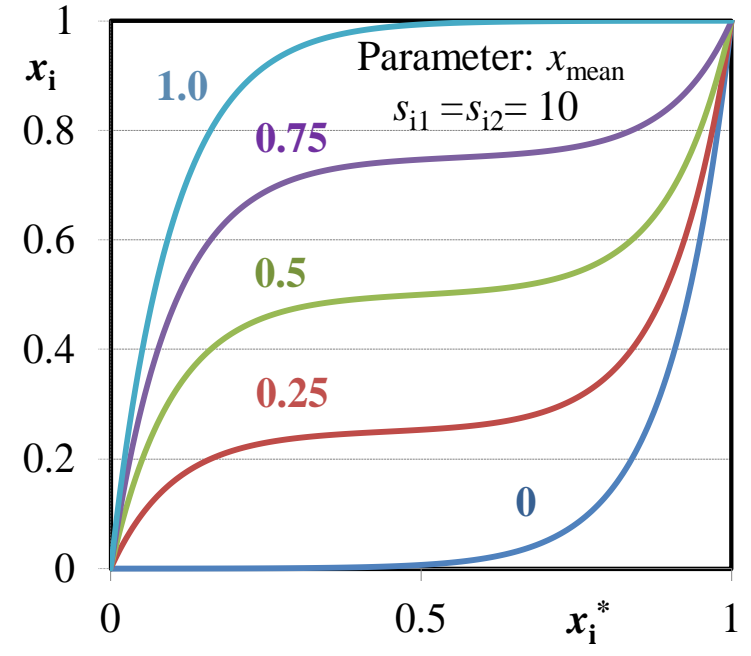
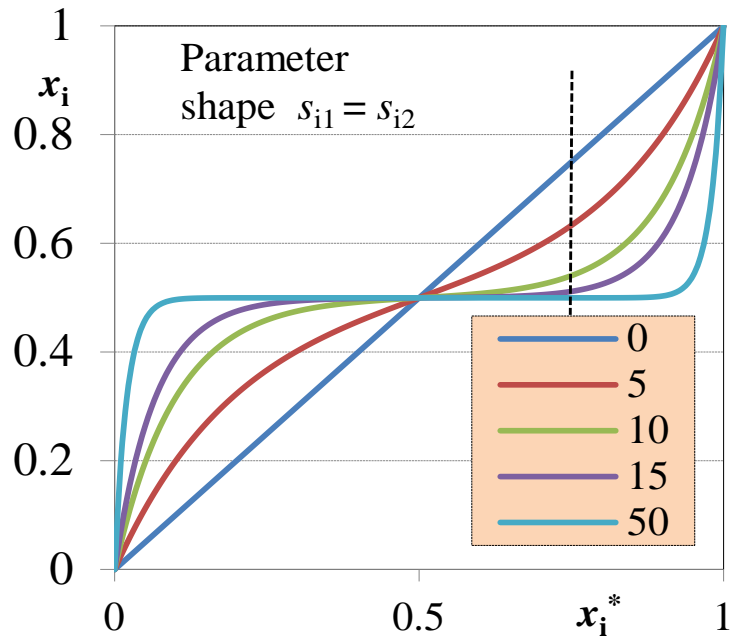
$$h_x = h(x = x_i^*)$$

$$h_0 = h(x = 0) \quad (4)$$

$$h_1 = h(x = 1)$$

x_i^* and x_i in the range $[0 \ 1]$

MVMO-SH: mapping function features



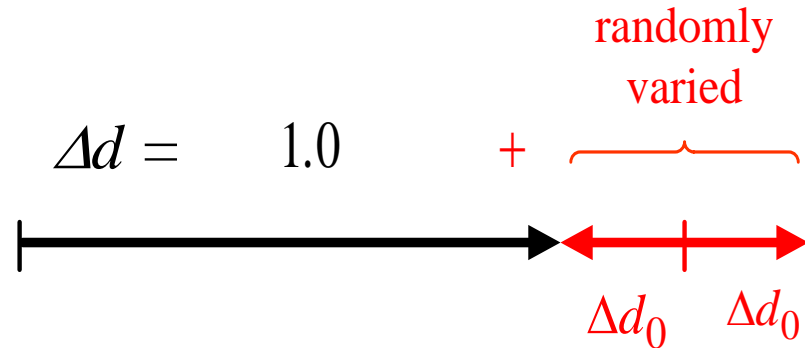
MVMO-SH: assignment of shape and d-factors

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 $s_{i1} = s_{i2} = s_i = -\ln(v_i) \cdot f_s$ 
if  $s_i > 0$  then
   $\Delta d = (1 + \Delta d_0) + 2 \cdot \Delta d_0 \cdot (\text{rand} - 0.5)$ 
  if  $s_i > d_i$ 
     $d_i = d_i \cdot \Delta d$ 
  else
     $d_i = d_i / \Delta d$ 
  end if
  if  $\text{rand} < 0.5$  then
     $s_{i1} = s_i ; s_{i2} = d_i$ 
  else
     $s_{i1} = d_i ; s_{i2} = s_i$ 
  end if
end if

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(5)



d_r is always oscillating around the shape s_r and is set to 1 in the initialization stage

$$\Delta d_0 \leq 0.4$$

The d-factors remain dynamic with the mapping even the corresponding shape doesn't change

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if $s_i > d_i$

$$d_i = d_i \cdot \Delta d$$

else

$$d_i = d_i / \Delta d \quad (5)$$

end if

if $\text{rand} < 0.5$ then

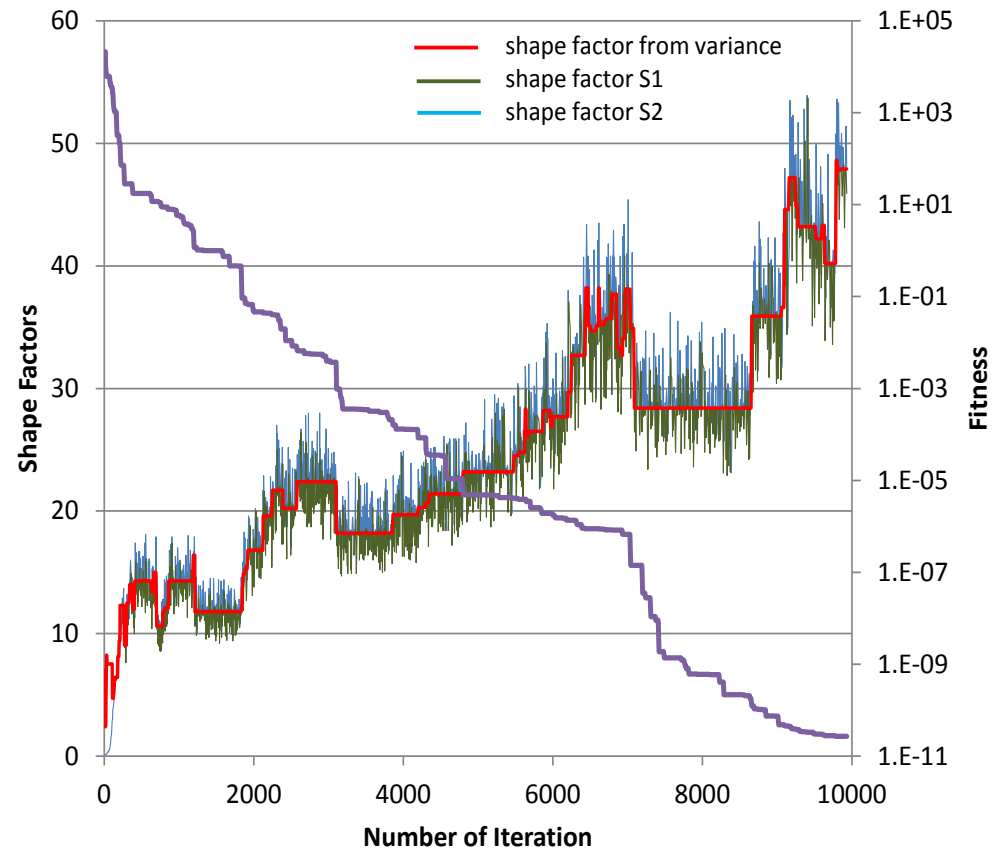
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end if

end if



CEC2013 function F1, single particle MVMO
without local search, $f_s=1.0$, $\Delta d_0=0.15$

Thanks!

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