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Aufgabe 5:

- a) Show that the optimal solution $x_{l_2}^*$ of a problem of type $1/P/\bullet/l_2/\Sigma$ with existing facility locations at a_1, \dots, a_n is always located in $\text{conv}(a_1, \dots, a_n)$, the convex hull of the existing facilities.
- b) Show that the same also holds for problems of type $1/P/\bullet/l_2/\Sigma$.

Aufgabe 6:

Prove Lemma 2.17., i.e., show that

$$\max_{x \in \mathbb{R}^2} \{WH(x) - W(x)\} \leq \sqrt[3]{2} \sqrt{\epsilon} \left(\sum_{j=1}^n w_j \right)$$

holds $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}^2$.

Aufgabe 7:

Let $u_i, v_i > 0 \forall i = 1, \dots, M, a_1 < a_2 < \dots < a_M$ and

$$g_i(x) = \begin{cases} u_i(a_i - x) & \text{if } x \leq a_i \\ v_i(x - a_i) & \text{if } x > a_i \end{cases} \quad \forall i = 1, \dots, M.$$

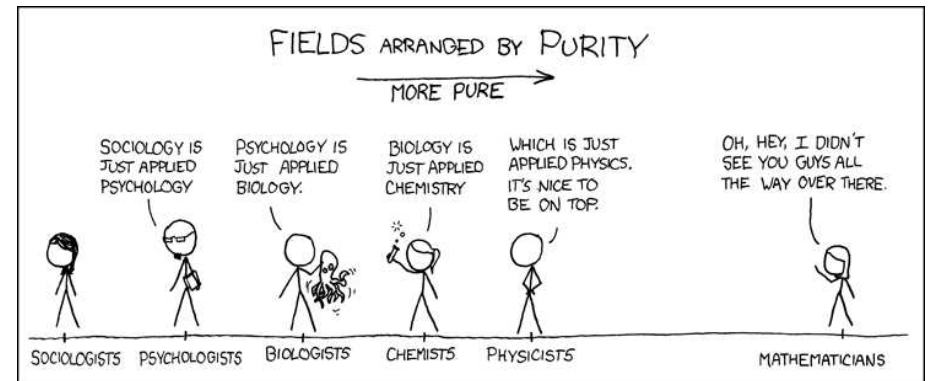
Minimize $f(x) = \sum_{i=1}^M g_i(x)$ by deducing and proving some optimality condition for this "Asymmetric Median-Problem".

Aufgabe 8:

Consider four existing facilities: $a_1 = (-y, 0), a_2 = (y, 0), a_3 = (y, y)$ and $a_4 = (-y, y)$ with equal weights $v_1 = v_2 = v_3 = v_4 > 0$ and $y > 0$. Determine all optimal solutions for the problems

- a) $1/P/\bullet/l_\infty/\Sigma$,
- b) $1/P/\bullet/l_1/\Sigma$,
- c) $1/P/\bullet/l_2^2/\Sigma$ and
- d) $1/P/\bullet/l_2/\Sigma$

and compare the results. (Apply the Weiszfeld Algorithm on $1/P/\bullet/l_2/\Sigma$ and use the optimal solution of $1/P/\bullet/l_2^2/\Sigma$ as starting point.)



Bemerkung: Aktuelle Informationen zur Vorlesung und zu den Übungen finden Sie im Internet unter:

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