Subject: Re: Powell's ghost
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Mark Fardal <fardal@shapley.colorado.edu> wrote:

> Hi,

> I've been using the Numerical Recipes routine POWELL to do some parameter
> fitting. At first it worked nicely, but lately I've been having...
> Mark Fardal
> University of Colorado

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I believe that you can download the entire Numerical Recipes book or
any sub-section thereof (not the code). You can probably find the
section on the Powell method and also a description of other methods.
The book has the code embedded in the text. (Although I haven't
personally checked out whether that part of the text is available for
download) If you are going to be using Numerical Recipes a lot I
would HIGHLY recommend the text. It is very nicely written -- well
worth the price. I have purchased the original and the updated C
versions and I will purchase every new version that comes out. I also
purchased the C code. It has been worth every dime.
Howard Onishi