

## Vita of Katta G. Murty

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**Education:**

Ph.D. Engineering Science (Operations Research), University of California, Berkeley, 1968 (Graduate Advisor: Professor David Gale of the IEOR Dept.)  
M. Stat. M.S. degree in Statistics, Indian Statistical Institute, Calcutta, India, 1957  
B. Sc.(Honors) Statistics, Madras University, India, 1955

**Experience:**

University of Michigan: Professor, 1980 –; Associate Professor, 1973-1980; Assistant Professor, 1968-1972.  
University of California, Berkeley: Acting Instructor, 1967-1968; Junior Specialist, 1965-1967.  
Case Inst. of Technology: Visiting Fulbright Scholar, 1961-1962.  
Indian Statistical Institute: Assistant Professor and SQC and OR Consultant, 1957-1965

**Visiting Professor Appointments**

1974-75 Bell Laboratories, Holmdel, NJ; and Indian Statistical Institute, India  
1981-82 University of Texas at Dallas, Richardson, TX; and Indian Statistical Institute, India  
1988-89 King Fahd University of Petroleum and Minerals, Dhahran, Saudi Arabia  
1995-96, Summer 1997 Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Clear Water Bay, Kowloon, Hong Kong  
Summer 1999 American University of Armenia, Yerevan, Armenia  
Summer 2002 NFFP participant at NASA, LaRC in Atmospheric Sciences.

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- Summer 2006, Winter 2007      Visit National Dong Hwa University, Hua Lin, Taiwan, on a Fulbright Senior Specialists Program grant.
- Professional Societies:**      Member of INFORMS (Institute for Operations Research and Management Sciences), and Mathematical Programming Society. Associate Editor for *Opsearch* (the Journal of the Operations Research Society of India), on The Editorial Advisory Board for *Algorithmic Operations Research*.
- Research Interests:**      Linear, integer, combinatorial, and nonlinear programming and their applications. Efficient algorithms for optimization problems and their applications
- Honors and Awards:**      Fulbright Scholar award 1961-62, for research at Case Institute of Technology, Cleveland (award received while I was a resident of India).  
American Institute of Indian Studies award 1974-75, for research at Indian Statistical Institute (award received when I was a resident of USA).  
*Most Outstanding Faculty Member Award, 1977-78*, by Alpha Pi Mu, the Industrial Engineering Honor Society.  
*Koopman Prize, 1999*, by the Military Applications Society of INFORMS, Outstanding paper award for the paper [64].  
*INFORMS Case Competition Finalist*, for the paper [T27], 2001.  
Selected as a *Fellow of INFORMS* (Institute For operations Research and Management Science), 2003.  
*Edelman Finalist Award*, for work on decision support systems for daily operations at Hong Kong Internastional Terminals Ltd., 2004
- Recent Consulting Work:**      **Motorola**, 1994 -, Algorithms and software for the routing of calls in the Iridium Network (a low earth orbit satellite based personal communication system being built by Motorola).  
**US Army**, 1993 -, Application of linear, integer, location, routing, and scheduling models in designing systems for the training of National Guards, Army Reserves, and US Army.
- Patents:**      US Patent no. 5608721 “Communications network and method which implement diversified routing”, awarded 4 March 1997, for the algorithm to route calls in the Iridium Network.
- Recent Professional Service:**      Program Chair for the 15th International Symposium on Mathematical Programming, Ann Arbor, 14 to 19 August 1994.
- No. Ph.D. advisees:**      3 students.

1. Developed an algorithm for ranking assignments of a linear assignment problem in increasing order of cost in 1962 (published in [6]). This is the basis for the well known branch and bound algorithm for the traveling salesman problem using the assignment relaxation, which first appeared in [T<sub>1</sub>] and a revised version of which is published in [7]. The assignment ranking algorithm has now become the main tool for solving the *data association problem* in multitarget tracking, a breakthrough of commercial importance, as this problem arises in airplane tracking

in the daily operations of air traffic controllers. Each plane appears as a blip on the radar screen. The data association problem is that of relating the blips in the screen of the previous instant to those of the current screen.

2. Developed an algorithm for ranking the basic feasible solutions of a linear program in increasing order of the objective function, and various applications for it in [9,  $T_4$ ].
3. Initiated the geometric study of the LCP (linear complementarity problem) using complementary cones in my Ph.D. dissertation [ $T_3$ ] and in [11].
4. Developed a principal pivoting algorithm which solves LCPs associated with P-matrices in finite time [17]. This approach has been extended by others to solve nonlinear complementarity problems and nonlinear programs.
5. Established that the computational requirements of complementary pivot methods for solving LCPs have exponential growth in the worst case [3, 20].
5. Established that the computational effort required to solve a parametric linear program is not bounded above by a polynomial in the size of the problem in the worst case [23].
6. Proved that a pair of simple convex polytopes which have the same two dimensional skeleton are isomorphic [16].
7. Established that checking degeneracy in a linear programming problem is NP-Complete [30].
8. With my graduate student C. Perin, developed efficient blossom algorithms for 1-matching/edge covering problems [26].
9. Established a systematic characterization for faces of all dimensions incident at a degenerate extreme point of a convex polyhedron specified by linear constraints. Used this characterization to develop an algorithm for enumerating all efficient faces of a multi-objective linear program [32].
10. Constructed the simplest nonconvex nonlinear program (a simple indefinite quadratic programming problem) in which checking whether the objective function is bounded over the feasible region, or whether a given feasible solution is a local minimum, are both Co-NP-Complete problems. Also established that checking whether a polynomial function is bounded over  $R^n$ , and whether a given point is an unconstrained local minimum for it, are both Co-NP-Complete problems. Developed realistic goals for algorithms in nonconvex programming [38].
11. Developed the gravitational method for linear programming, based on tracking the path of a heavy spherical drop inside the feasible region as it falls under the influence of a powerful gravitational force pulling everything in the direction of the negative gradient of the objective function [37, 40].
12. Defined CP-rays in simplicial cones and studied their geometry and applications to the linear complementarity problem [42].
13. Defined the concept of segments in convex polytopes, and developed an algorithm for enumerating all the faces of a convex polytope specified by a degenerate system of linear constraints; whose complexity is polynomial in terms of the size of the system, and the number of these faces [53].

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14. Developed an  $O(n^{2.5})$  algorithm for finding a perfect matching with specified number of edges of each color in a complete bipartite graph in which each edge is either red or blue [73].
15. Developed the algorithms and software for the routing of calls in the Iridium Satellite Network, in a worldwide personal communication system being built by Motorola, based on 66 low earth orbit (400 miles above the surface of the Earth) satellites circling the globe in 6 different orbits. A US patent (no. 5,608,721) has been awarded for this work in 1997.

#### **Ph.D. Dissertations of Graduates Personally Supervised (as Chair or Co-Chair)**

- J. B. Sidney, “One Machine Deterministic Job-Shop Scheduling with Precedence Relations and Deferral costs”, 1970 (Co-Chair with R. M. Thrall).
- O. Merrill, “Applications and Extensions of an Algorithm that Computes Fixed Points of Certain Upper Semi-Continuous Point to Set Mappings”, 1972.
- R. L. Tobin, “Minimal Complete Matchings and Applications”, 1973.
- J. Etcheberry, “The Set Representation Problem”, 1974.
- E. J. Gainer, “Large Scale Convex Quadratic Programming”, 1975.
- Y. Fathi, “On the Computational Complexity of the Linear Complementarity Problem”, 1979.
- S. J. Chung, “Structural Complexity of Adjacency on 0–1 Convex Polytopes”, 1980.
- C. Perin, “Matching and Edge Covering Algorithms”, 1980.
- Z. Yakin, “An Augmented Lagrangian Algorithm for Inequality Constrained Nonlinear Programs”, 1981.
- A. Gana, “Studies in the Complementarity Problem”, 1982.
- P. J. Carstensen, “The Complexity of Some Problems in Linear and Combinatorial Programming”, 1983 (Co-Chair with C. Simon).
- M. H. Partovi, “A study of Degeneracy in the Simplex Algorithm for Linear Programming and Network Flow Problems”, 1984.
- Y. Alyahya, “Matching and Covering Algorithms”, 1984.
- G. R. R. Waissi, “Acyclic Network Generation and Maximal Flow Algorithms for Single Commodity Flow”, 1985 (Co-Chair with D. Cleveland).
- S. Y. Chang, “The Steepest Descent Gravitational Method for Linear Programming”, 1988.
- K. Yang, “New Iterative Methods for Linear Inequalities”, 1990.
- K. S. Al-Sultan, “Nearest Point Problems: Theory and Algorithms”, 1990.
- J. C. Arantes, “Resolution of Degeneracy in Generalized Networks and Penalty Methods for Linear Programs”, 1991 (Co-Chair with J. Birge).

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- T. Yi, “Bipartite Matchings with Specified Values for a 0–1 Linear Function”, 1994.
- A. Y. Alfakih, “ Facets of an Assignment Problem With a 0–1 Side Constraint”, 1996.
- T. H. Chu, “On a Class of Strictly Semimonotone Matrices in a Linear Complementarity Problem”, 2001.

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### Textbooks

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- [2] *Linear Programming*, 482 pages, Wiley, 1983.
- [3] *Linear Complementarity, Linear and Nonlinear Programming*, 629 pages, Heldermann Verlag, Berlin, 1988 (now out of print, Latex files of all the chapters can be downloaded from: <http://www-personal.engin.umich.edu/~murty/> ).
- [4] *Network Programming*, 623 pages , Prentice-Hall, 1992.
- [5] *Operations Research: Deterministic Optimization Models*, 581 pages, Prentice-Hall, 1995.
- [W1] *Sophomore level Self-Teaching Webbook for Computational & Algorithmic Linear Algebra & n-Dimensional Geometry*, Full text available at the website: [http://ioe.engin.umich.edu/people/fac/books/murty/algorithmic\\_linear\\_algebra/](http://ioe.engin.umich.edu/people/fac/books/murty/algorithmic_linear_algebra/)
- [W2] *Junior Level Optimization Models for Decision Making, Vol. 1*, available at: [http://ioe.engin.umich.edu/people/fac/books/murty/opti\\_model/](http://ioe.engin.umich.edu/people/fac/books/murty/opti_model/)

### Papers in Refereed Journals or Other Refereed Publications

- [6] “An Algorithm for Ranking All the Assignments of the Assignment Problem in Increasing Order of Cost”, *Operations Research*, 16, no. 3(May-June 1968)682-687.
- [7] “An Algorithm for the Traveling Salesman Problem”, with J. D. C. Little, C. Karel, and D. Sweeney, *Operations Research*, 11(Dec. 1963)972-989.
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- [21] “A Note on an Estimation Problem”, PP 80-81 in *Urn Models and Their Application*, by N. L. Johnson and S. Kotz, Wiley, 1977.
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