Chapter 1 – Linear Programming

Prototype 1

a) x_1 - "Number of batches of doors to produce"

 x_2 - "Number of batches of windows to produce"

max $3x_1 + 5x_2$ s.t. $x_1 \leq 4$

$$
2x_2 \le 12
$$

$$
3x_1 + 2x_2 \le 18
$$

$$
x_1, x_2 \ge 0
$$

 $A(0,0) \to f(0,0) = 0$ $B(0,6) \rightarrow f(0,6) = 30$ $C(2,6) \rightarrow f(2,6) = 36$ $D(4,3) \rightarrow f(4,3) = 27$ $E(4,0) \rightarrow f(4,0) = 12$

The optimal solution is (2,6) and the optimal value is 36.

b)

- **i**) The optimal solution is point $(4,3)$
- $\bf{ii)}$ The optimal solution is point $(4,0)$
- $\bf iii)$ The optimal solution is point $(0,6)$
- $\bf{iv})$ The optimal solutions belong to the segment connecting $(4,3)$ and $(4,0)$
- **v)** The optimal solutions belong to the segment connecting (0,6) and

$(2,6)$

- **c)** Impossible
- **d)** Unbounded.
- **e**) The feasible region is just the segment connecting (2,6) and (4,3). The optimal solution is still point (2,6).
- **f**) The optimal solution is the point $(3/2,6)$
- **g)** The optimal solution is the point (2.5 , 5.25)
- **h**) The optimal solution is the segment connecting (2,6) and (4,3).

Prototype 2

The optimal solution is point $B(4,3)$ and the optimal value is 10.

Exercise 2

- **a**) Solution: $(0,3)$, $z^* = 6$
- **b)** Infeasible problem
- **c)** Unbonded problem
- **d**) Semi-line segment starting on $(2,0)$, $z^* = 2$
- **e**) Solution: $(-3,0)$, $z^* = 30$
- **f)** Solution: $(3/2,1)$, $z^* = 5/2$
- **g)** Unbonded problem
- **h**) Solution: $(0,0)$, $z^* = 0$
- **i**) Solution: $(4/3,5/3)$, $z^* = 22/3$
- **j**) Solution: A segment connecting two points, $z^* = 12$

Sol: $(47.6, 23.8, 0) \rightarrow z^* = 2857.143$

or (Integer solution)

Sol: $(46, 23, 3) \rightarrow z^* = 2835$

Exercise 4

The optimal solution is: $(a_s = 56.25, a_c = 0, a_o = 0, c = 23.75, h = 0, t_w = 0, t_s = 0) \rightarrow z^* = 5750$ Or (integer solution: cows and hens as integer) $(a_s = 53.3, a_c = 0, a_o = 3.3, c = 24, h = 0, t_w = 0, t_s = 0) \rightarrow z^* = 5750$

Exercise 5

The optimal solution is: $3333.3 kg of C₁ (2000 *cot* to n + 1333.3 *wood*)$ 2366.7 kg of C_2 (1166.7wool + 1200fiber) 0 kg of C_3

Profit: 485666.7

Exercise 6

The optimal solution is: $(x, y, z) = (84, 80, 0)$, the optimal value is 70 000.

Exercise 7

The optimal solution is: $(c, t, a) = (1.14, 0, 2.43)$, the optimal value is 120.86

Exercise 8

The optimal solution is: 30 units of energy (from energy) 20 units of heating water (from solar panels) 50 units of heating space (30 from natural gas and 20 from solar panels) Cost: 7700

- A_i ⁻ "Amount invested in A at the beginning of year *i*", *i* = 1,2,3,4
- B_i ⁻ "Amount invested in B at the beginning of year *i*", *i* = 1,2,3
	- "Amount invested in C at the beginning of year 2"

- "Amount invested in D at the beginning of year 5"

The optimal solution is: $A_1 = 60000$ $A_3 = 84000$ $D = 117.600$ $Profit = 152 880$

Exercise 10

Solution: (266.7,333.3) $z^* = 6000$

Chapter 2 – Simplex Algorithm

Exercise 11

a)

The optimal solution is point $C(266.7, 333.3)$ and the optimal value is 6000.

b) c) $F \to A \to B \to C$ or $F \to E \to D \to C$

- **a**) The optimal solution is $(6,0,0,0,4)$ and $z^* = 12$.
- **b**) The optimal solution is $(3, 0, 3/2, 0, 0, 1/2)$ and $z^* = -12$.
- **c**) The optimal solution is $(11/5, 7/5, 0, 0, 7/5, 0)$ and $z^* = 61/5$.
- **d**) The optimal solution is $(14/13, 8/13, 0, 0, 0, 69/13)$ and $z^* = 96/13$.

Exercise 13

- **a**) The optimal solution is $(0, 3, 9, 0)$ and $z^* = 6$
- **b**) Out of the scope of this course
- **c)** Unbounded
- **d**) The solution (2, 0, 0, 2) with optimal value $z^* = 2$ is optimal but there are alternative solutions.
- **<u>e**</u>) The optimal solution is $(0, 3, 0, 8, 0)$ and $z^* = 30$.
- **f)** Out of the scope of this course
- **g)** Out of the scope of this course
- **h)** The optimal solution is $(0, 0, 2, 2)$ and $z^* = 0$.
- **i)** Out of the scope of this course
- **j)** Optimal solutions in segment connecting points $(4/3, 4/3, 0, 0)$ and $(4,0,0,4)$. $z^* = 12$.

Exercise 14

- **a)** -
- **b)** The solution $(0, 70/3, 0, 0, 230/3)$ with value 350 is optimal. The solutions $(35, 0, 0, 0, 195/3)$ and $(0, 0, 70, 0, 30)$ are alternative optimal solutions.

Exercise 15

- **a)** The optimal solution is point $(0, -8)$ and the optimal value is 24.
- **b)** The obtained solution is (24, 0, 0, −16) and it is a basic non-feasible solution.
- **c)** –
- **d**) The optimal solution is $(0, 0, 8, 16, 0)$ with value 24 is optimal.

Exercise 16

a) $c \ge 0$.

- **b)** $c = 0$.
- **c)** $c < 0$ and $a_2, a_3 \le 0$.
- **d)** $c < 0$ (to ensure not-optimality), and $a_3 = 2a_2$ (to ensure a tie) with $a_2, a_3 > 0$.

Chapter 3 – Duality and Sensitivity Analysis

Exercise 17

- **a)** SI_{c₂} = [5,15]. When $c_2 = 13$, the optimal solution is the same (0, 25, 25) and the optimal value is changed to $z_{new} = 450$.
- **b**) It is worth to increase the availability of sugar if the price per kg is lower than 4m.u.. The interval in which the set of basic variables is the same is $SI_{b_1} = [33.333,100]$.
- **c**) $b_1 = 55$.
- **d)** It is not worth to buy the extra 2kg at the proposed price.
- **<u>e)**</u> $z_{new} = 340$. The new solution is: (0, 20, 40).
- **f)** It is impossible to know what is the new solution and its associated value without solving the problem. By using the solver, the new solution is (0,30,0) and the profit is 210.

Exercise 18

d) max
$$
z = 7x_1 + 5x_2
$$

\n**e**) min $z = x_1 - x_3$
\n**f**. $8x_1 + x_3 \le 10$
\n $2x_1 - 3x_2 + 2x_3 = -4$
\n $3x_1 - 4x_2 \ge 0$
\n $x_1 \ge 0$
\n $x_2, x_3 \le 0$
\n $x_2, x_3 \le 0$
\n $x_3 \ge 0$
\n $x_1 + x_2 \le 0$
\n $x_2, x_3 \le 0$
\n $x_3 \ge 0$
\n $x_1 + x_2 \le 0$
\n $x_2 + x_3 = 0$
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\n $x_2 + x_3 = 0$
\n $x_3 \ge 0$
\n x_3

a) The optimal solution is point (4,0) and its values is 4. This means that ... The BFS is (4, 0, 21, 0). **b)**

From the complementary slackness relations we have $(y_1^*, y_2^*) = (0,2)$ and the optimal value is 4.

Exercise 20

 $0,5$

 $0,8$

0,9

 $0,75$

Decrease

 $1E+30$ $0,15$

 $0,15$

 $1E+30$

 $0,15$

 $1E+30$

 $1E+30$

 $0,15$

- **b**) The optimal solution is $(0, 10, 15, 0)$ and the optimal value is 19.25. This mean that ...
- **c)** $\Delta_z = -0.25$.
- **d)** 9 ∉ SI_{b_3} = [10, 15] and therefore, it is not possible to quantify the change in the total return without resolve the problem.
- **e**) $\Delta_z = 0$ (no variation). The optimal solution is the same.

- **a)** The optimal solution is point (3,4) and the optimal value is 17.
- **b)**
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max $z = 3x_1 + 2x_2$ s.t. $x_1 \leq 4$ $x_1 + 3x_2 \leq 15$ $2x_1 + x_2 \leq 10$ $x_1, x_2 \geq 0$ min $w = 4y_1 + 15y_2 + 10y_3$ s.t. $y_1 + y_2 + 2y_3 \ge 3$ $3y_2 + y_3 \ge 2$ $y_1, y_2, y_3 \geq 0$

c) The optimal solution of the dual is $(y_1^* = 0, y_2^* = \frac{1}{5})$ $\frac{1}{5}$, $y_3^* = \frac{7}{5}$ $\frac{1}{5}$

d) –

e) $\Delta_z = -2.8$.

Exercise 22

a) The pair of dual problems is:

max $z = 6x_1 + 8x_2$ s.t. $5x_1 + 2x_2 \le 20$ $x_1 + 2x_2 \leq 10$ $x_1, x_2 \geq 0$ min $w = 20y_1 + 10y_2$ s.t. $5y_1 + y_2 \ge 6$ $2y_1 + 2y_2 \ge 8$ $y_1, y_2 \ge 0$

The primal solution is $(5/2, 15/4)$ and the dual solution is $(1/2, 7/2)$. The optimal value of both problems is 45.

b) –

Exercise 23

a) The pair of dual problems is

$$
\begin{array}{ll}\n\text{max } z = 2x_1 + 7x_2 + 4x_3 \\
\text{s.t.} & x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 \le 10 \\
& 3x_1 + 3x_2 + 2x_3 \le 10 \\
& x_1, x_2, x_3 \ge 0\n\end{array}\n\quad\n\begin{array}{ll}\n\text{min } w = 10y_1 + 10y_2 \\
\text{s.t.} & y_1 + 3y_2 \ge 2 \\
& 2y_1 + 3y_2 \ge 7 \\
& y_1 + 2y_2 \ge 4 \\
& y_1, y_2 \ge 0\n\end{array}
$$

b) The solution of the dual problem is $(0, 7/3)$ and the optimal value is 70/3. The optimal solution of the primal problem is (0,10/3,0).

a) The pair of dual problems is

$$
\begin{array}{ll}\n\max z = 3x_1 + 4x_2 + 2x_3 & \min w = 10y_1 + 8y_2 + 20y_3 \\
\text{s.t.} & x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 \le 10 \\
& 2x_1 + 4x_2 + x_3 \le 8 \\
& 2x_1 + 3x_2 + 2x_3 \le 20 \\
& x_1, x_2, x_3 \ge 0\n\end{array}
$$
\n
$$
\begin{array}{ll}\n\min w = 10y_1 + 8y_2 + 20y_3 \\
\text{s.t.} & y_1 + 2y_2 + 2y_3 \ge 3 \\
& y_1 + 4y_2 + 3y_3 \ge 4 \\
& 2y_1 + y_2 + 2y_3 \ge 2 \\
& y_1, y_2, y_3 \ge 0\n\end{array}
$$

The solution of the dual problem is $\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$ $\frac{1}{3}, \frac{4}{3}$ $(\frac{4}{3},0).$

b) To be profitable to include product 2 in the production plan, its unitary profit must increase in at least 1.67.

Exercise 25

a) The solution of the primal problems is (2,2). The dual problem is:

max
$$
w = 4y_1
$$
 - 6 y_3
s.t. $y_1 - y_2 \le 1$
 $y_1 + y_2 - y_3 \le 3$
 $y_1, y_2, y_3 \ge 0$

b) The optimal dual solution is (2,1,0).

Exercise 26

a) The solution of the primal problems is (2,4). The dual problem is:

max
$$
w = 3y_1 + 12y_2 + 6y_3
$$

s.t. $y_1 + y_3 \le 3$
 $3y_2 + y_3 \le 2$
 $y_1, y_2 \le 0$
 $y_3 \ge 0$

The optimal dual solution is $(0, -1/3, 3)$.

(b)
$$
\alpha = 3/2
$$
.
(c) $\alpha < 2/3$.

Exercise 27

a) Is product 2 that requires a lower increase on profit to be included in the production plan.

- **b**) It is not possible to determine the new obtained solution and its value without resolving the problem. From the solver, the new optimal solution is (0, 0, 5, 0) and its value is 35.
- **c)** The optimal solution can only be determined by using the solver. Such solution is: (0, 0, 5, 0, 2) and its cost is 55.
- **d**) The extra 24 m.u. should be invested in rm2 since the increase on profit is larger.

- **a)** The optimal solution of the primal problem is: (50, 30, 10, 0, 0, 0) and the optimal value is 270. The optimal solution indicates that …
- **b**) The shadow prices are (18.38, -3.46, 0.31). The interpretation is ...
- **c)** $\Delta_z = 31$
- **d**) $\Delta_z = -35$

Exercise 29

- **a**) The solution is (57.5, 0, 20) and the minimum cost is 2900.
- **b)** –
- **c**) $\Delta_z = +600m.u.
\n**d**$ The new solution The new solution is: (40, 90, 0) and the minimum cost is 3220
- **e**) $b_2 = 321$

Exercise 30

- **a)** The optimal primal solution is (12.5, 0, 8) and the optimal value is 245. This means that … The optimal solution of the dual problem is (0, 3, -0.5). This means that…
- **b**) The current solution remains optimal. The optimal value is also the same.
- **c)** P2 will be included in the production plan if its revenue is higher than 25.
Increase the capacity in section 2. $b_2 = 91.63$
- **d)** Increase the capacity in section 2. $b_2 = 91.63$
 e) The solution is (2.5, 4, 8) with $z^* = 225$.
- **<u>e**</u>) The solution is $(2.5, 4, 8)$ with $z^* = 225$.

Exercise 31

- **a)** The optimal solution is point (62/7, 12/7) and the optimal value is 62.7.
- $y_1^* = 0$
- The constraint $x_1 + x_2 \ge 3$ will not change the feasible region.
- <u>b)</u>
<u>c)</u>
<u>d)</u> $SI_{b_3} = [24, 115]$
- **e)** $SI_{b_2} = [10, +\infty]$

Chapter 4 – Transportation and Assignment Problems

Prototype 3

a) Consider the following variables:

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x_{ij} – "truckloads to send from cannery i to the warehouse j", i = 1,2,3, j = 1,2,3,4.
                  min 464x_{11} + 513x_{12} + \cdots + 388x_{33} + 685x_{34}
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s.t. $x_{11} + x_{12} + x_{13} + x_{14} = 75$ $x_{21} + x_{22} + x_{23} + x_{24} = 125$ $x_{31} + x_{32} + x_{33} + x_{34} = 100$ $x_{11} + x_{21} + x_{31} = 80$ $x_{12} + x_{22} + x_{32} = 65$ $x_{13} + x_{23} + x_{33} = 70$ $x_{14} + x_{24} + x_{34} = 85$ $x_{ii} \ge 0$, $i = 1,2,3$, $j = 1,2,3,4$

- **b)** –
- **c)** The optimal solution has the cost 152 535.
- **d)** The optimal solution has the cost 119 965.
- **e)** The optimal solution has the cost 139 530.
- **f)** The optimal solution has the cost 125 610.

Exercise 32

The optimal solution value is 2460.

Prototype 4

a) Consider the following binary variables:

$$
x_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if machine } M_i \text{ goes to location } L_j \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, i, j = 1, 2, 3, 4.
$$

The formulation is:

min $13x_{11} + 16x_{12} + \cdots + 15x_{43} + 13x_{44}$

s.t. $x_{11} + x_{12} + x_{13} + x_{14} = 1$ x_{21} + x_{23} + x_{24} = 1 $x_{31} + x_{32} + x_{33} + x_{34} = 1$ $x_{41} + x_{42} + x_{43} + x_{44} = 1$ $x_{11} + x_{21} + x_{31} + x_{41} = 1$ x_{12} + x_{32} + x_{42} = 1

$$
x_{13} + x_{23} + x_{33} + x_{43} = 1
$$

\n
$$
x_{14} + x_{24} + x_{34} + x_{44} = 1
$$

\n
$$
x_{ij} \in \{0, 1\}, \ i, j = 1, 2, 3, 4
$$

b) The new solution has the value 29.

Exercise 33

- **a)** The optimal solution value is 3 680.
- **b**) The optimal solution value is 2 580.

Exercise 34

a) min $100 \times 40 + 650x_{12} + \cdots + 400x_{33} + 450x_{34}$

b) –

c) The optimal solution value is 20 200.

Exercise 35

The optimal solution value is 22.

Exercise 36

The optimal solution value is 199 500 $(\times 100)$

Exercise 37

The optimal solution value is 775

The optimal solution is: $C1 \rightarrow V1$, $C2 \rightarrow V3$, $C3 \rightarrow V2$, and $C5 \rightarrow V4$. The total cost is 400.

Exercise 39

a) The optimal solution is:

b) The optimal solution value is 57 000.

Exercise 40

- **a)** The optimal solution value is 380.
- **b**) We must impose the constraint $x_{22} = 10$. Hence, since W3 cannot supply S2, and the demand on this shop must be satisfied we should also impose $x_{12} = 40 \Leftrightarrow x_{12} + x_{22} = 50$.

Exercise 41

Consider the variables:

$$
x_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if factory } i \text{ serves market } j \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}, \quad i, j = 1, 2, 3, 4.
$$

The problem is formulated as following

$$
\begin{aligned}\n\min 21(5x_{11} + 2x_{21} + 3x_{31} + 2x_{41}) + 16(8x_{12} + 6x_{22} + 7x_{32} + 5x_{42}) \\
&+ 30(3x_{23} + 5x_{33} + 4x_{43}) + 35(7x_{34} + 3x_{44})\n\end{aligned}
$$

s.t.
$$
x_{11} + x_{12} = 1
$$

\n $x_{21} + x_{22} + x_{23} = 1$
\n $x_{31} + x_{32} + x_{33} + x_{34} = 1$
\n $x_{41} + x_{42} + x_{43} + x_{44} = 1$
\n $x_{11} + x_{21} + x_{31} + x_{41} = 1$
\n $x_{12} + x_{22} + x_{32} + x_{42} = 1$
\n $x_{23} + x_{33} + x_{43} = 1$
\n $x_{34} + x_{44} = 1$
\n $x_{ij} \in \{0,1\}, \quad i,j = 1,2,3,4.$

Chapter 5 – Network Optimization

Prototype 5

The optimal solution has the cost 49 000.

Prototype 6

- **a)** The optimal solution is $0 \rightarrow A \rightarrow B \rightarrow D \rightarrow T$, and the distance is 13.
- **b**) The minimum spanning tree has the total distance 14 and is:

The optimal solution is *Lisboa* \rightarrow *Porto* \rightarrow *Frankfurt* \rightarrow *Oslo*. The total distance is 4300 km.

Exercise 44

The minimum spanning tree has the total distance 33 and is:

Exercise 45

The cost of the optimal solution is 747 and the solutions is as follows:

Exercise 46

The minimum spanning tree has the total distance 28 and is:

Exercise 47

The destination node is C1. The solution is $S \to A \to B \to C \to C1$ (Time = 11)

 $x_{LB} = 1000, x_{PC} = 300, x_{PG} = 1100, x_{CB} = 300,$ $Cost = 535000$

Exercise 49

a) The corresponding network is as follows.

Incomplete!

b) The minimum spanning tree has the total distance 100 and is:

a) The network formulation of the problem is as follows:

This is a MCFP with sources E1, E2, and ATL and destinations G and EM. The decision variables are x_{ij} and represent the number of children transported from place *i* to place *j*, where $(i, j) \in A = \{(1, 2), (1, 4), (2, 3), (2, 4), (3, 4), (3, 5)\}.$ The goal of the problem is to determine how to transport the children from the sources to the destinations at the minimum cost.

b) -

c) The optimal solution of this problem has the cost 725 and is as follows:

a) -

b) The problem can be formulated as a SPP in the following network (where each node represents the end of each year and the arcs represent a replacement action).

c) The optimal solution is $x_{02} = x_{24} = 1$ and the optimal value is 330.

Chapter 6 – Integer Linear Programming

Prototype 7

Let us define the following variables:

- x_s : "Number of small airplanes to buy"
- x_m : "Number of medium airplanes to buy"
- max $x_s + 5x_m$ s.t. $5x_s + 50x_m \le 100$ x_s ≤ 2 $x_s, x_m \in \mathbb{Z}_0^+$

The feasible region is the set of points $\{(0,0), (0,1), (0,2), (1,0), (1,1), (2,0), (2,1)\}.$ Calculating the objective function value at each point, we conclude that the optimal solution is point $(0, 2)$ and the optimal value is 10.

Prototype 8

Let us define the following variables:

The optimal solution is $(x_1^* = 1, x_2^* = 1, y_1^* = 0, y_2^* = 0)$ and the optimal value is 14. This means that only the new factories in LA and SF are built.

Exercise 52

The optimal solution is to produce P2, P3, P6, P8, and P9 and the total profit is 58.

c) The optimal solution is to invest in projects 1, 3, and 4 and the total profit is 3.4.

The optimal solution is to invest in A, B' and C and its value is 1213.

Exercise 55

The optimal solution is to invest in 1, 3, and 5. The total profit is 40.

Exercise 56

The optimal solution is to produce only 2000 units of product 2. The total profit is 80 000.

Exercise 57

The optimal solution is (15, 30, 10, 45, 10, 20) and the optimal value is 28600.

Exercise 58

The optimal solution has the optimal value 216,78 and is:

 $(R_1 = 0, R_2 = 0, R_3 = 113,78, R_4 = 216,78, x_1 = 0, x_2 = 37, x_3 = 0, y = 100, P_1 = P_2 = P_3 = 1)$