

1. Throughout this quiz consider a knapsack problem with three items

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Item	Value	Weight
I_1	v_1	w_1
I_2	v_2	w_2
I_3	v_3	w_3

Once again we wish to maximize the total value of our steal while keeping weights under limit W . However, for each item we can steal arbitrarily many copies of that item. For instance, if we steal item I_2 5 times, we have a value of $5v_2$ and weight $5w_2$. There is no limit on the number of times an item can be stolen.

Assume $w_j > 0$ for each item: otherwise, we can take infinitely many copies of the items and the problem becomes undefined.

- ☒ This sort of situation can happen if I_j is a stock where we can invest in 0 or more units of the stock I_j .
- ☐ This sort of situation is purely imaginary and not based on any sort of reality.

✓ Correct
Correct

2. Refer to the problem introduced in the previous question.

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Let $\text{maxValue}(j, W)$ be the maximum value obtained for considering items I_j, \dots, I_3 and weight limit W . Note that $1 \leq j \leq 4$. In particular for $j = 4$, we obtain the empty list of items.

Select all the correct facts from the choices below.

Notation $\lfloor \frac{a}{b} \rfloor$ is the value by computing $\frac{a}{b}$ and rounding it down when $a, b > 0$.

☒ The minimum number of times we can choose item I_j is 0 and maximum number of times is $\lfloor \frac{W}{w_j} \rfloor$.

☒ Correct
Correct.

☒ $\text{maxValue}(4, W) = 0$ whenever $W \geq 0$.

☒ Correct
Correct.

☒ If the thief chose to steal item $I_j, k \geq 0$ times, the remaining weight budget is $W - kw_j$ and value obtained is kv_j

☒ Correct

☐ If $j < 4$ and $W \geq 0$ then

$$\text{maxValue}(j, W) = \max \begin{cases} 0 + \text{maxValue}(j + 1, W) \\ 1 + \text{maxValue}(j + 1, W - w_j) \\ 2 + 1 + \text{maxValue}(j + 1, W - 2w_j) \\ \dots \\ k + \text{maxValue}(j + 1, W - kw_j) \end{cases} \quad \text{where } k = \lfloor \frac{W}{w_j} \rfloor$$