Heterogeneous Fleet Composition Problem

Parameters:

- m = number of vehicles type; (index k)
- n = number of periods of the time horizon; (index t)
- v_{kt} = number of vehicles of type k required at time $t \in \{1, ..., n_k\}$;
- v_k^{max} = maximum number of vehicles of type k required during the time horizon; $\forall k = 1, \cdots, m$

$$v_k^{max} = \max_{\forall t=1,\dots,n} (v_{kt}); \quad \forall k=1,\dots,m$$

- c_F^k = Fixed cost related to vehicle type k; $\forall k = 1, \dots, m$
- c_V^k = Variable cost related to vehicle type k; $\forall k = 1, \cdots, m$ c_H^k = Hiring cost related to vehicle type k; $\forall k = 1, \cdots, m$

Variables:

- v_k = number of vehicles of type k owned in the fleet; $\forall k = 1, \dots, m$

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$$x_t^k \quad \forall k = 1, \cdots, m; \quad \forall t = 1, \cdots, n$$

$$x_t^k = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if} \quad v_{kt} \le v_k \\ 0 & \text{if} \quad v_{kt} > v_k \end{cases}$$

$$-y_t^k = x_t^k \cdot v_k \quad \forall k = 1, \cdots, m; \quad \forall t = 1, \cdots, n_k$$

Assumption:

We assume that the following preliminary condition is satisfied:

$$c_F^k + c_V^k \le c_H^k \qquad \forall k = 1, \cdots, m$$

Math Formulation

$$min \cdot \sum_{k=1}^{m} nc_{F}^{k} \cdot v_{k} + \sum_{k=1}^{m} \sum_{t=1}^{n} c_{V}^{k} \cdot v_{kt} \cdot x_{t}^{k} + \sum_{k=1}^{m} \sum_{t=1}^{n} c_{V}^{k} v_{k} - c_{V}^{k} \cdot y_{t}^{k} + \sum_{k=1}^{m} \sum_{t=1}^{n} c_{H}^{k} \cdot (v_{kt} - v_{kt} \cdot x_{t}^{k} - v_{k} + y_{t}^{k})$$

$$(1)$$

s.t

$$v_k \ge v_{kt} - v_k^{max} \cdot (1 - x_t^k) \quad \forall k = 1, \cdots, m; \quad \forall t = 1, \cdots, n$$
 (2)

$$v_k \le v_{kt} + v_k^{max} \cdot x_t^k \quad \forall k = 1, \dots, m; \quad \forall t = 1, \dots, n$$
 (3)

$$y_t^k \le v_{kt} \quad \forall k = 1, \cdots, m; \quad \forall t = 1, \cdots, n$$
 (4)

$$y_t^k \le v_k^{max} x_t^k \quad \forall k = 1, \cdots, m; \quad \forall t = 1, \cdots, n$$
 (5)

$$y_t^k \ge v_k - v_k^{max} \cdot (1 - x_t^k) \quad \forall k = 1, \dots, m; \quad \forall t = 1, \dots, n$$
 (6)

$$v_k \in \{0, \cdots, v_k^{max}\} \quad \forall k = 1, \cdots, m \tag{7}$$

$$y_t^k \in \{0, \cdots, v_k^{max}\} \quad \forall k = 1, \cdots, m; \quad \forall t = 1, \cdots, n$$
 (8)

$$x_t^k \in \{0, 1\} \quad \forall k = 1, \cdots, m; \quad \forall t = 1, \cdots, n \tag{9}$$

Non linearized objective function:

$$min \cdot \sum_{k=1}^{m} nc_{F}^{k} \cdot v_{k} + \sum_{k=1}^{m} \sum_{t=1}^{n} c_{V}^{k} \cdot v_{kt} \cdot x_{t}^{k} + \sum_{k=1}^{m} \sum_{t=1}^{n} c_{V}^{k} \cdot v_{k} \cdot (1-x_{t}^{k}) + \sum_{k=1}^{m} \sum_{t=1}^{n} c_{H}^{k} \cdot (v_{kt}-v_{k})(1-x_{t}^{k})$$