

Time Constrained Symmetric Traveling Salesman Problem (STSP_{TW})

Sets

Let $G = (V, A)$ be a complete graph where:

- $V = \{0, 1, \dots, n\}$ = set of the nodes;

- $A = \{(i, j) : i \neq j; i, j \in V\}$ = set of undirected arcs;

Parameters

- l_i = lower bound of a specified time window for node i ($l_i \geq 0$); $\forall i \in V$

- u_i = upper bound of a specified time window for node i ($u_i \geq 0$); $\forall i \in V$

- t_{ij} = the shortest time required to travel from node i to node j ; $\forall (i, j) \in A$

Every node $i \in V$ represents a node with an associated time window:

$TW_i = [l_i, u_i]$, where l_i is the *release time* and u_i the *deadline* of node $i \in V$.

Each arc $(i, j) \in A$ has an associated a travel time $t_{ij} \geq 0$.

We assume they also have a distance d_{ij} representing a distance from node i to

node j , hence travel time $t_{ij} = \frac{d_{ij}}{v} \forall (i, j) \in A$, where v is a speed.

In order to make the model easier, if a service time is needed at a node i , this time will be included in the travel time t_{ij} 's.

TSPTW is named as symmetric if $t_{ij} = t_{ji}$ and asymmetric if $t_{ij} \neq t_{ji}$.

Additional restrictions

For example, if the node j must be visited just after i , it is sufficient to add the constraints $t_i + t_{ij} = t_j$ to the model. If j must be visited before i then we add the constraints $t_j \leq t_i + t_{ij}$ to the model.

Variables

- t_i = time instant in which node i is visited; $\forall i \in V$

- t_{n+1} = time at which tour is completed;

- y_{ij} = binary variables defined as follows $\forall (i, j) \in A$:

$$y_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if node } j \text{ follows node } i \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\min t_{n+1} - t_0 \quad (1)$$

$$t_i - t_0 \geq t_{0i} \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n \quad (2)$$

$$t_{n+1} - t_i \geq t_{i0} \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n \quad (3)$$

$$t_i - t_j \geq t_{ij} - M_{ij} \cdot y_{ij} \quad \forall i, j = 0, 1, \dots, n : i \neq j \quad (4)$$

$$t_j - t_i \geq t_{ij} - (1 - y_{ij}) \cdot M_{ij} \quad \forall i, j = 0, 1, \dots, n : i \neq j \quad (5)$$

$$l_i \leq t_i \leq u_i \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n \quad (6)$$

$$t_0 = 0 \quad (7)$$

$$y_{ij} \in \{0, 1\} \quad \forall i, j = 0, 1, \dots, n : i \neq j \quad (8)$$

$$t_i \geq 0 \quad \forall i = 0, 1, \dots, n + 1 \quad (9)$$

where $M_{ij} = u_i - l_j + t_{ij}$.