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Operations Research (UMA-019)
Tutorial Sheet 2

1. Write the standard form of the LPP

- (i) Max $Z = 2x_1 + x_2 + x_3$
 s. t. $x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 \geq 2$, $|2x_1 + x_2 - x_3| \leq 4$, $3x_1 - 2x_2 - 7x_3 \leq 3$
 $x_1, x_3 \geq 0, x_2 \leq 0$
- (ii) Max $Z = x_1 + 2x_2 - x_3$
 s. t. $x_1 + x_2 - x_3 \leq 5$, $-x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 \geq -4$, $2x_1 + 3x_2 - 4x_3 \geq 3$, $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 2$,
 $x_1 \geq 0, x_2 \geq p, x_3$ is unrestricted in sign.
- (iii) Min $Z = 2x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3$
 s. t. $-x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 4$, $-x_1 + x_2 - x_3 \leq 6$, $x_1 \leq 0, x_2 \geq 0, x_3$ is unrestricted in sign.
- (iv) Max $Z = 2x_1 - 2x_2 + 3x_3$
 s.t. $x_1 + x_2 - x_3 \leq 5$, $x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 \geq 2$, $3x_1 - 2x_2 - 7x_3 \leq 3$
 $x_1 \leq 0, x_2, x_3$ are unrestricted in sign.

2. Examine whether the following sets are convex or not:

- (a) $\{(x_1, x_2) : x_1 x_2 \leq 1\}$ (b) $\{(x_1, x_2) : x_1^2 + x_2^2 < 1\}$ (c) $\{(x_1, x_2) : x_1^2 + x_2^2 \geq 3\}$
 (d) $\{(x_1, x_2) : 4x_1 \geq x_2^2\}$ (e) $\{(x_1, x_2) : 0 < x_1^2 + x_2^2 \leq 4\}$
 (f) $\{(x_1, x_2) : x_2 - 3 \geq -x_1^2, x_1, x_2 \geq 0\}$
 (g) $\{(x_1, x_2) : 2x_1 + 5x_2 \leq 20, x_1 + 2x_2 \geq 6\}$ (h) $\{(x_1, x_2) : x_1 x_2 \geq 4, x_1, x_2 \geq 0\}$

3. Prove that intersection of any collection (finite or infinite) of convex sets in R^n is a convex set.

4. Show that the set of all optimal solutions of a linear programming problem is a convex set.

5. Find all the extreme points of the set $S = \{(x_1, x_2) \mid x_1 + 2x_2 \geq -2, -x_1 + x_2 \leq 4, x_1 \leq 4\}$ and represent the point (2, 3) as the convex combination of the extreme points of S .

6. Prove that half space $\{\mathbf{X} \in \mathbf{R}^n : \mathbf{a}^T \mathbf{X} \geq \alpha\}$ is a convex set.

7. Let S_1 and S_2 be two disjoint nonempty set in R^n . Then show that the set

$$S = \{X_1 - X_2 : X_1 \in S_1, X_2 \in S_2\} \text{ is convex.}$$

8. Linearize the following objective function: Max $z = \min \{ |2x_1 + 5x_2|, |7x_1 - 3x_2| \}$

9. Solve the following linear programming problems graphically and state what your solution indicate.

(i) Max $z = 5x_1 + 3x_2$, s/t $3x_1 + 5x_2 \leq 15$, $5x_1 + 2x_2 \leq 10$, $x_1, x_2 \geq 0$.

- (ii) $\text{Min } z = 2x_1 + 3x_2, \text{ s/t } x_1 + x_2 \leq 4, 6x_1 + 2x_2 \geq 8, x_1 + 5x_2 \geq 4, x_1 \leq 3, x_2 \leq 3, x_1, x_2 \geq 0.$
- (iii) $\text{Max } z = 2x_1 + 2x_2, \text{ s/t } x_1 - x_2 \geq -1, -0.5x_1 + x_2 \leq 2, x_1, x_2 \geq 0.$
- (iv) $\text{Max } z = -3x_1 + 2x_2, \text{ s/t } x_1 - x_2 \leq 0, x_1 \leq 3, x_1, x_2 \geq 0.$
- (v) $\text{Max } z = -x_1 + 2x_2, \text{ s/t } x_1 - x_2 \geq -1, -0.5x_1 + x_2 \leq 2, x_1, x_2 \geq 0.$
- (vi) $\text{Max } z = 3x_1 - 2x_2, \text{ s/t } x_1 + x_2 \leq 1, 2x_1 + 2x_2 \geq 4, x_1, x_2 \geq 0.$
- (vii) $\text{Max } z = x_1 + x_2, \text{ s/t } x_1 - x_2 \geq 0, 3x_1 - x_2 \leq -3, x_1, x_2 \geq 0.$

10. Consider the following LPP

$$\text{Max } z = -4x_1 + 6x_2, \text{ s/t } 2x_1 - 3x_2 \geq -6, -x_1 + x_2 \leq 1, x_1, x_2 \geq 0.$$

Show graphically that the variable can be increased indefinitely while the optimal value of the objective function remains constant.