

Model 12: Alloy Blending

Decision Variables:

x_1 : Pounds of Alloy 1

x_2 : Pounds of Alloy 2

x_3 : Pounds of Alloy 3

x_4 : Pounds of Alloy 4

x_5 : Pounds of Alloy 5

Objective: $\min 19x_1 + 17x_2 + 23x_3 + 21x_4 + 25x_5$

Subject to:

$$.60x_1 + .25x_2 + .45x_3 + .20x_4 + .50x_5 = .40$$

$$.10x_1 + .15x_2 + .45x_3 + .50x_4 + .40x_5 = .35$$

$$.30x_1 + .60x_2 + .10x_3 + .30x_4 + .10x_5 = .25$$

$$x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 + x_5 = 1$$

$$x_1, x_2 \geq 0$$

In Standard Form:

Objective: maximize $-19x_1 - 17x_2 - 23x_3 - 21x_4 - 25x_5$

Subject to

$$.60x_1 + .25x_2 + .45x_3 + .20x_4 + .50x_5 \leq .40$$

$$-.60x_1 - .25x_2 - .45x_3 - .20x_4 - .50x_5 \leq -.40$$

$$.10x_1 + .15x_2 + .45x_3 + .50x_4 + .40x_5 \leq .35$$

$$-.10x_1 - .15x_2 - .45x_3 - .50x_4 - .40x_5 \leq -.35$$

$$.30x_1 + .60x_2 + .10x_3 + .30x_4 + .10x_5 \leq .25$$

$$-.30x_1 - .60x_2 - .10x_3 - .30x_4 - .10x_5 \leq -.25$$

$$x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 + x_5 \leq 1$$

$$-x_1 - x_2 - x_3 - x_4 - x_5 \leq -1$$

$$x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5 \geq 0$$