

# Linear Optimization Assignment

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## Instructions

- The complete submission should include: (a) the report (in PDF format), (b) the source code(s), compressed into one zip file (YourFullName\_StudentID.zip).
- You can use either Python or MATLAB for the coding part.
- You are strictly prohibited from copying solutions from another person. Violation of this would be considered an act of plagiarism.
- Note that there will be a demo where you will be called individually to discuss your codes and solutions. The schedule will be released shortly.

## Question 1.

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Write a code for the Revised Simplex method from scratch. (10 marks)

## Question 2.

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Given a graph  $G = (V; E)$ , a matching  $M \subset E$  of  $G$  is a collection of vertex disjoint edges. The size of the matching  $M$  is the number of edges present in  $M$  and is denoted by  $\|M\|$ . Maximum matching of  $G$  is a matching of maximum size. Given a graph  $G$  with  $\|V\|$  vertices and  $\|E\|$  edges, formulate an ILP(integer linear program) to solve the maximum matching problem. For the given adjacency matrix of network 1, solve the problem using the Simplex code you have written. (4 marks)

## Question 3.

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Given a graph  $G = (V; E)$ , a vertex-cover  $V^1 \subset V$  of  $G$  is a collection of vertices such that each edge in  $E$  is incident to at least one of the vertex in  $V^1$ . The size of a vertex cover is the number of vertices present in the cover. Write an ILP to find a minimum size vertex cover for  $G$ . For the given adjacency matrix of network 1, solve the problem using the Simplex code you have written. (4 marks)

## Question 4.

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We are given an adjacency matrix representation of the flow network 2. Each edge  $(i, j)$  is a directed edge from  $i$  to  $j$ . The capacity of each edge is given in the adjacency matrices. Node  $S$  represents the source, and node  $T$  represents the sink in both networks. Note that each capacity is an integer. Both the flow networks satisfy the following properties

- Conservation of flow at each node except Source (i.e., Total incoming flow at a node must equal total outgoing flow at the node).
- For each edge, any flow respects the capacity constraint of the edge.

Do the following

- Write a code for the Interior point method (IPOPT, based on newton iteration) from scratch. **(15 marks)**
- Formulate LPs for flow network 2 to find out the maximum flow from  $S$  to  $T$  and solve it using the IPOPT code you have written. **(3 marks)**
- Take the Duals of each LP which corresponds to  $S - T$  Min-Cut in the respective network and solve it using the IPOPT code you have written. **(4 marks)**

Network 1	1	2	3	4
1	0	1	0	0
2	1	0	1	1
3	0	1	0	1
4	0	1	1	0

Network 2	S	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	T
S	0	11	15	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A	0	0	0	0	0	18	4	0	0	0	0	0
B	0	3	8	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	3	11	0	0	0
D	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	17	6	0	0	0
E	0	0	0	0	3	16	0	0	0	13	0	0
F	0	12	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	21
G	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	9	4	3
H	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	5	4
I	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	9
J	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	15
T	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

### Question 5.

Write the codes in AMPL to solve all LPs (you formed). Show that min-cut is equal to max-flow for question 4(i.e., an LP and its dual have the same optimal). **(10 marks)**