Atal Bihari Vajpayee Indian Institute of Information Technology & Management, Gwalior

IT305: Optimization Techniques

Major Examination (Session 2024–25)

Maximum Time: 3 Hours Max Marks: 50

Note: Attempt any five questions. Support your answers with suitable diagrams.

- 1. (a) Derive the simplex method step by step. (b) Apply simplex to solve: Maximize $Z = 4x_1 + 3x_2$ subject to $2x_1 + x_2 \le 8$, $x_1 + 2x_2 \le 6$, $x_1, x_2 \ge 0$. (10 Marks)
- 2. (a) Explain duality in linear programming. (b) Construct the dual for the above problem. (8 Marks)
- 3. (a) Describe the Hungarian method for solving an assignment problem. (b) Solve the following assignment problem:

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(9 Marks)

- 4. What is dynamic programming? Use it to solve the shortest path problem with suitable example. (8 Marks)
- 5. (a) Explain the Kuhn–Tucker (KKT) conditions for nonlinear programming. (b) Illustrate with a constrained optimization problem. (7 Marks)
- 6. Write short notes on any two: (i) Integer programming (ii) Goal programming (iii) Queueing models (8 Marks)