

FIGURE 1. Outline of the Solution to the Zero-One Model

boxes. A lower bound N_0 for N' is then found from

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$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} Q_i/C \leq N_0 < \sum_{i=1}^{n} Q_i/C + 1,$$

 N_0 being the smallest possible number of boxes dictated by the total capacity requirements of the n items. If the solution $N' = N_0$ then N' is optimal. If, however,

