

Quantitative Management Modelling  
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Assignment 4 – LP Model (R Program)

Question 2:

Let X = Large, Y = Medium and Z= small

2A. Decision Variables:

Let  $X_1, Y_1, Z_1$  be the quantities produced in L, M & S for plant 1

Let  $X_2, Y_2, Z_2$  be the quantities produced in L, M & S for plant 2 Let

$X_3, Y_3, Z_3$  be the quantities produced in L, M & S for plant 3

2B. Formulating LP model:

Let the objective function be Z which represents the maximum profit =

$$Z = 420 (X_1 + X_2 + X_3) + 360 (Y_1 + Y_2 + Y_3) + 300 (Z_1 + Z_2 + Z_3)$$

Capacity Constraints:

$X_1 + Y_1 + Z_1 \leq 750$  (Excess production of 750 units of plant 1 every day)

$X_2 + Y_2 + Z_2 \leq 900$  (excess production of 900 units of plant 2 every day )

$X_3 + Y_3 + Z_3 \leq 450$  (excess production of 450 units of plant 3 every day) Storage

constraint:

$20X_1 + 15Y_1 + 12Z_1 \leq 13000$  (storage capacity of plant 1 13000 sq.ft )

$20X_2 + 15Y_2 + 12Z_2 \leq 12000$  (storage capacity of plant 2 12000 sq.ft)

$20X_3 + 15Y_3 + 12Z_3 \leq 5000$  (storage capacity of plant 3 5000 units sq.ft) Sales

constraints:

$L = X_1 + X_2 + X_3 \leq 900$  (900 Units needs to be sold plant 1 every day)

$M = Y_1 + Y_2 + Y_3 \leq 1200$  (1200 Units needs to be sold plant 2 every day)

$S = Z_1 + Z_2 + Z_3 \leq 750$  (750 Units needs to be sold plant 3 every day)

$X_x, Y_x, Z_x \geq 0$

Percentage Constraints:

As said that plant always consumes same % of their excess capacity to produce the new product, below are the equations:

$$(X_1+Y_1+Z_1)/750=(X_2+Y_2+Z_2)/900=(X_3+Y_3+Z_3)/S450$$

It can be written as:

$$900(X_1+Y_1+Z_1) = 750 (X_2+Y_2+Z_2)$$

$$450 (X_2+Y_2+Z_2) = 900 (X_3+Y_3+Z_3)$$

$$450 (X_1+Y_1+Z_1) = 750(X_3+Y_3+Z_3) \text{ Non-}$$

Negative zero:

$$X_1,Y_1,Z_1, X_2,Y_2,Z_2,X_3,Y_3, Z_3 \geq 0$$