

20200608/Exercises

1. E01-value=6

A company has to define to produce exactly one among two products. If product 1 is made, than exactly k_1 units have to be realized. If, instead, product 2 is made, than exactly k_2 units have to be made. Write linear constraints to model the above condition.

Notes: (not included in XML)

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x_i = units of product i , ($i = 1, 2$)

$$\delta = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } k_1 \text{ units of product 1 are made;} \\ 0 & \text{if } k_2 \text{ units of product 2 are made} \end{cases}$$

$$x_1 = k_1 \delta$$

$$x_2 = k_2 (1 - \delta)$$

$$x_i \geq 0, i = 1, 2$$

$$\delta \in \{0, 1\}$$

2. E02-value=8

A warehouse has to store n boxes in a rack with m shelves. The first m_1 shelves have length L_1 , while the remaining have length L_2 . Each box $j = 1, \dots, n$ has length ℓ_j and a frequency of usage f_j . Write a linear programming model that helps the warehouse to decide how to store the boxes, so that the sum of the frequencies of the boxes stored in the first m_1 shelves is maximized. (N.B. It is not known if all the boxes can be stored.)

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$x_{ij} = 1$ if box j is stored in shelf i ; 0 otherwise

$$\begin{aligned}
& \max \sum_{i=1}^{m1} \sum_{j=1}^n x_{ij} f_j \\
& \sum_{i=1}^m x_{ij} \leq 1, j = 1, \dots, n \\
& \sum_{j=1}^n \ell_j x_{ij} \leq L1, i = 1, \dots, m1 \\
& \sum_{j=1}^n \ell_j x_{ij} \leq L2, i = m1 + 1, \dots, m \\
& x_{ij} \in \{0, 1\} \quad i = 1, \dots, m, j = 1, \dots, n
\end{aligned}$$

3. E03-value=7

Consider a 0-1 knapsack problem with 5 items with profits $p_j = (10, 15, 8, 12, 11)$, weights $w_j = (8, 15, 10, 17, 20)$ and a knapsack of size 35. Consider the branch-and-bound used to solve the problem and the first subproblem generated by a branching of the type $x_j = 0$. Write the upper bound of this subproblem, and say if the exploration must proceed to lower levels: justify your choice.

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- The subproblem is the fifth one (including the root node) and corresponds to $x_3 = 0$. The upper bound is $UB = 10 + 15 + 12 \lfloor \frac{12}{17} \rfloor = 33$. The search stops for this subproblem, because we already have a feasible solution of value 33 obtained in the fourth node with $x = (1, 1, 1, 0, 0)$, $z = 33$.

4. E04-value=7

Given the following linear model write the corresponding dual problem.

$$\begin{aligned}\max \quad & 3x_1 - 2x_2 + x_4 \\ & x_1 - x_2 + 3x_3 \geq 8 \\ & 4x_2 + 5x_4 \leq 12 \\ & 3x_1 - 4x_3 + x_4 \geq 15 \\ & x_i \geq 0 \quad i = 1, \dots, 4\end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}\min \quad & -8u_1 + 12u_2 - 15u_3 \\ & -u_1 - 3u_3 \geq 3 \\ & u_1 + 4u_2 \geq -2 \\ & -3u_1 + 4u_3 \geq 0 \\ & 5u_2 - u_3 \geq 1 \\ & u_i \geq 0 \quad i = 1, \dots, 3\end{aligned}$$