

* Simplex Method :

Note: ① If problem is of maximisation type
then make All $C_j - Z_j \leq 0$

② If problem is of minimisation type
then make All $C_j - Z_j \geq 0$

Example (1) solve the following LPP using
simplex method

$$\text{Maximize } Z = 3x_1 + 2x_2$$

$$\text{subject to } 3x_1 + 2x_2 \leq 18$$

$$x_1 \leq 4$$

$$x_2 \leq 6$$

$$x_1, x_2 \geq 0$$

solution: first we convert given LPP into standard
form

we introduce the slack variables s_1, s_2, s_3

\therefore The standard form of LPP is

$$\text{Maximize } Z = 3x_1 + 2x_2 + 0s_1 + 0s_2 + 0s_3$$

$$\text{subject to } 3x_1 + 2x_2 + s_1 + 0s_2 + 0s_3 = 18$$

$$x_1 + 0x_2 + 0s_1 + s_2 + 0s_3 = 4$$

$$0x_1 + x_2 + 0s_1 + 0s_2 + s_3 = 6$$

$$\text{All } x_1, x_2, s_1, s_2, s_3 \geq 0$$

* Initial iteration :

C_B	Basic variable	C_j	3	2	0	0	0	solution	Ratio
		x_1	x_2	s_1	s_2	s_3			
0	s_1	3	2	1	0	0	18	$\frac{18}{3} = 6$	
0	s_2	1	0	0	1	0	4	$\frac{4}{1} = 4$	← min key row
0	s_3	0	1	0	0	1	6	-	
	$Z_j = \sum C_B B_j$	0	0	0	0	0			
	$C_j - Z_j$	3	2	0	0	0			

\uparrow
 Max.
 (key column)

here, 1 is pivot element

* First iteration : (s_2 - outgoing, x_1 - incoming)

	C_j	3	2	0	0	0		
C_B	Basic Variable	x_1	x_2	s_1	s_2	s_3	solution	Ratio
$R_1 - 3R_2$	0	s_1	0	2	1	-3	0	6
	3	x_1	1	0	0	1	0	4
	0	s_3	0	1	0	0	1	6
	Z_j	3	0	0	3	0		
	$C_j - Z_j$	0	2	0	-3	0		

\uparrow
 Max
 (key column)

\leftarrow Min
 (key row)

$\therefore 2$ is pivot element

* Second Iteration :

(s_1 - outgoing, x_2 - incoming)

C_B	C_j	3	2	0	0	0	solution	Ratio
	Basic Variable	x_1	x_2	s_1	s_2	s_3		
2	x_2	0	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	$-\frac{3}{2}$	0	3	
3	x_1	1	0	0	1	0	4	
$R_3 - \frac{1}{2}R_1$	s_3	0	0	$-\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{2}$	1	3	
	Z_j	3	2	1	0	0		
	$C_j - Z_j$	0	0	-1	0	0		

here we can observe that

$$\text{All } Z_j - C_j \leq 0$$

therefore,

$$x_1 = 4, x_2 = 3 \text{ is solution}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} Z &= 3x_1 + 2x_2 \\ &= 3(4) + 2(3) \\ &= 18 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{x_1 = 4, x_2 = 3 \text{ and } Z_{\max} = 18}$$

is Required solution of LPP

Ex 2: solve the following L.P.P. using simplex method.

$$\text{Maximise } Z = 6x_1 - 2x_2 + 3x_3$$

$$\text{Subject to } 2x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 \leq 2$$

$$x_1 + 4x_3 \leq 4$$

$$x_1, x_2, x_3 \geq 0$$

Solution: first we convert given LPP into standard form

\therefore we introduce the two slack variable s_1, s_2

\therefore standard form of LPP is

$$\text{Maximize } Z = 6x_1 - 2x_2 + 3x_3 + 0s_1 + 0s_2$$

$$\text{Subject to } 2x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 + s_1 + 0s_2 = 2$$

$$x_1 + 0x_2 + 4x_3 + 0s_1 + s_2 = 4$$

$$x_1, x_2, x_3, s_1, s_2 \geq 0$$

* Initial iteration:

C_B	C_j	6	-2	3	0	0	Solution	Ratio
	Basic variable	x_1	x_2	x_3	s_1	s_2		
0	s_1	2	-1	2	1	0	2	$\frac{2}{2} = 1 \leftarrow \text{min}$
0	s_2	1	0	4	0	1	4	$\frac{4}{1} = 4$
	Z_j	0	0	0	0	0		
	$C_j - Z_j$	6	-2	3	0	0		

↑
maxi
(key column)

\therefore 2 is pivot element

* First Iteration: (s_1 - outgoing, x_1 - incoming)

	C_B	C_j	6	-2	3	0	0	solution	Ratio
		Basic variable	x_1	x_2	x_3	s_1	s_2		
$\frac{R_1}{2}$	6	x_1	1	$-\frac{1}{2}$	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	1	$\frac{1}{-\frac{1}{2}} = -2$
$R_2 - \frac{1}{2}R_1$	0	s_2	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	3	$-\frac{1}{2}$	1	3	$\frac{3}{\frac{1}{2}} = 6 \leftarrow \text{Min (key row)}$
		Z_j	6	-3	6	3	0		
		$C_j - Z_j$	0	1	-3	-3	0		

\uparrow
 Max.
 (key column)

$\therefore \frac{1}{2}$ is pivot element

* Second iteration:

(s_2 - outgoing, x_2 - incoming)

	C_B	C_j	6	-2	3	0	0	solution	Ratio
		Basic variable	x_1	x_2	x_3	s_1	s_2		
$R_1 - R_2$	6	x_1	1	0	4	0	1	4	
$R_2 \times 2$	-2	x_2	0	1	6	-1	2	6	
		Z_j	6	-2	12	2	10		
		$C_j - Z_j$	0	0	-9	-2	-10		

here, All $C_j - Z_j \leq 0$

\therefore solution is $x_1 = 4$, $x_2 = 6$, $x_3 = 0$

$$\begin{aligned}
 Z &= 6x_1 - 2x_2 + 3x_3 \\
 &= 6(4) - 2(6) + 3(0) \\
 &= 12
 \end{aligned}$$

\therefore optimal solution is $x_1 = 4$, $x_2 = 6$, $x_3 = 0$, $Z_{\max} = 12$