

Simplex Presentation - EE5327

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Question

- Consider the linear programming problem

Maximize $3x + 9y$,

Subject to

$$2y - x \leq 2,$$

$$3y - x \geq 2,$$

$$2x + 3y \leq 10,$$

$$x, y \geq 0.$$

Then the maximum value of the objective function is

Solution using CVXPY

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import cvxpy as cvx
from numpy import matrix, round, eye
import numpy
X = cvx.Variable()
Y = cvx.Variable()
constraints = [-X + 2 * Y <= 2,
               3 * Y - X >= 0,
               2 * X + 3 * Y <= 10,
               X >= 0,
               Y >= 0]
obj = cvx.Maximize(3*X+9*Y)
prob = cvx.Problem(obj,constraints)
prob.solve()
print("Status:", prob.status)
print("Optimal value", prob.value)
print("Optimal var", X.value, Y.value)
```

Solution using CVXPY

- ▶ Status: optimal
Optimal value 24.00
Optimal var 2.00 2.00

Solution using SIMPLEX Method(Tabular)

Step 1 : Introduce Slack variables μ_1, μ_2, μ_3 .

Step 2 : Transform the given LPP

After transformation given problem turns into :

Maximize $3x + 9y + 0\mu_1 + 0\mu_2 + 0\mu_3$,

Subject to

$$2y - x + \mu_1 = 2,$$

$$x - 3y + \mu_2 = 2,$$

$$2x + 3y + \mu_3 = 10,$$

$$x, y, \mu_1, \mu_2, \mu_3 \geq 0.$$

Step 3 : Construct the tabulae

Solution using SIMPLEX Method(Tabular)

c_i	3	9	0	0	0		
	x	$\rightarrow y$	μ_1	μ_2	μ_3	RHS	θ
$\rightarrow 0\mu_1$	-1	2	1	0	0	2	(1)
$0\mu_2$	1	-3	0	1	0	0	-
$0\mu_3$	2	3	0	0	1	10	5
$c_i - z_i$	3	(9)	0	0	0	$Z_{RHS} = 0$	

Swap the variables μ_1 and y

Here the pivot element is 2,

Make it 1 and other elements in its column 0 using elementary row transformations.

$$R_1 = R_1/2$$

$$R_2 = R_2 + 3R_1$$

$$R_3 = R_3 - 3R_1$$

Solution using SIMPLEX Method(Tabular)

c_i	3	9	0	0	0		
	$\rightarrow \mathbf{x}$	y	μ_1	μ_2	μ_3	RHS	θ
$0\mu_1$	-1	(2)	1	0	0	2	(1)
$0\mu_2$	1	-3	0	1	0	0	-
$0\mu_3$	2	3	0	0	1	10	5
$c_i - z_i$	3	(9)	0	0	0	$Z_{RHS} = 0$	
9y	-1/2	1	1/2	0	0	1	-
$0\mu_2$	-1/2	0	3/2	1	0	3	-
$\rightarrow 0\mu_3$	(7/2)	0	-3/2	0	1	7	(2)
$c_i - z_i$	(15/2)	0	-9/2	0	0	$Z_{RHS} = 9$	

Swap the variables μ_3 and x

Here the pivot element is 7/2,

Make it 1 and other elements in its column 0 using elementary row transformations.

Solution using SIMPLEX Method(Tabular)

c_i	3	9	0	0	0		
$\rightarrow \mathbf{x}$	y	μ_1	μ_2	μ_3	RHS	θ	
$0\mu_1$	-1	(2)	1	0	0	2	(1)
$0\mu_2$	1	-3	0	1	0	0	-
$0\mu_3$	2	3	0	0	1	10	5
$c_i - z_i$	3	(9)	0	0	0	$Z_{RHS} = 0$	
$9y$	-1/2	1	1/2	0	0	1	-
$0\mu_2$	-1/2	0	3/2	1	0	3	-
$\rightarrow 0\mu_3$	(7/2)	0	-3/2	0	1	7	(2)
$c_i - z_i$	(15/2)	0	-9/2	0	0	$Z_{RHS} = 9$	
$9y$	0	1	2/7	0	1/7	2 ←	
$0\mu_2$	0	0	9/7	1	1/7	4	
$3x$	1	0	-3/7	0	2/7	2 ←	
$c_i - z_i$	0	0	-12/7	0	-15/7	$Z_{RHS} = 24$	

Solution

Since the values of $c_i - z_i$ are all non positive, we can end the iterations.

Thus, the optimal values are as follows

$$x = 2$$

$$y = 2$$

$$\text{Objective Function} = 3x + 9y = 24.$$