

EE5327 : Optimization

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Question

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Solve the following linear programming problem using **Simplex** method :

Minimize: $x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3$

Subject to

$$x_1 + 2x_2 \geq 4$$

$$x_2 + 7x_3 \leq 5$$

$$x_1 - 3x_2 + 5x_3 = 6$$

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

Question

The dual to the above problem is:

Maximize: $4y_1 + 5y_2 + 6y_3$

Subject to

$$y_1 + y_3 \leq 1$$

$$2y_1 + y_2 - 3y_3 \leq 1$$

$$7y_2 + 5y_3 = 2$$

and further subject to:

(A) $y_1 \geq 0$, $y_2 \leq 0$ and y_3 is unrestricted

(B) $y_1 \geq 0$, $y_2 \geq 0$ and y_3 is unrestricted

(C) $y_1 \geq 0$, $y_3 \leq 0$ and y_2 is unrestricted

(D) $y_3 \geq 0$, $y_2 \leq 0$ and y_1 is unrestricted

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Primal:

Minimize: $f(\mathbf{y}) = \sum_{i=1}^n b_i y_i$

subject to $\sum_{i=1}^n a_{ij} y_i \geq c_j$

. $y_i \geq 0$

Dual:

Maximize: $f(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{j=1}^n c_j x_j$

subject to $\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_j \leq b_i$

. $x_j \geq 0$

Dual Form of given LPP

Primal (in standard form)

Minimize: $x_1 + x_2 + 2x_4 - 2x_5$
subject to $x_1 + 2x_2 + 0x_3 + 0x_4 + 0x_5 \geq 4$
. $\quad 0x_1 - x_2 + 0x_3 - 7x_4 + 7x_5 \geq -5$
. $\quad x_1 - 3x_2 + 0x_3 + 5x_4 - 5x_5 \geq 6$
. $\quad -x_1 + 3x_2 + 0x_3 - 5x_4 + 5x_5 \geq -6$
. $\quad x_i \geq 0$

Dual:

Maximize: $4y_1 - 5y_2 + 6y_3 - 6y_4$
subject to $y_1 + 0y_2 + y_3 - y_4 \leq 1$
. $\quad 2y_1 - y_2 - 3y_3 + 3y_4 \leq 1$
. $\quad 0y_1 + -7y_2 + 5y_3 - 5y_4 \leq 2$
. $\quad 0y_1 + 7y_2 - 5y_3 + 5y_4 \leq -2$
. $\quad y_i \geq 0$

Converting Dual into form given in question

Current Form of Dual:

$$\begin{array}{ll}\text{Maximize:} & 4y_1 - 5y_2 + 6y_3 - 6y_4 \\ \text{subject to} & y_1 + 0y_2 + y_3 - y_4 \leq 1 \\ . & 2y_1 - y_2 - 3y_3 + 3y_4 \leq 1 \\ . & 0y_1 + -7y_2 + 5y_3 - 5y_4 \leq 2 \\ . & 0y_1 + 7y_2 - 5y_3 + 5y_4 \leq -2 \\ . & y_i \geq 0\end{array}$$

(i) Replace y_2 by $-y_2$, and constraint $y_2 \geq 0$ by $y_2 \leq 0$

(ii) See that $y_3 - y_4$ is common in all constraints.

- . $y_3 \geq 0, y_4 \geq 0 \implies y_3 - y_4$ unrestricted
- . Put $y_3 = y_3 - y_4$, and remove constraints $y_3 \geq 0, y_4 \geq 0$

Converting Dual into form given in question

Final Form of Dual:

$$\begin{array}{ll}\text{Maximize:} & 4y_1 + 5y_2 + 6y_3 \\ \text{subject to} & y_1 + y_3 \leq 1 \\ \cdot & 2y_1 + y_2 - 3y_3 \leq 1 \\ \cdot & 7y_2 + 5y_3 = 2 \\ \cdot & y_1 \geq 0, y_2 \leq 0\end{array}$$

Solving Primal using Simplex

SOLVING PRIMAL USING SIMPLEX

Minimize: $x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3$

Subject to

$$x_1 + 2x_2 \geq 4$$

$$x_2 + 7x_3 \leq 5$$

$$x_1 - 3x_2 + 5x_3 = 6$$

$$x_1, x_2 \geq 0, x_3 \text{ is unrestricted}$$

First, we convert the given form to a standard form.

Since x_3 is unrestricted we rename x_3 as:

$$x_3 = x'_3 - x''_3 \text{ where } x'_3, x''_3 \geq 0$$

SOLVING PRIMAL USING SIMPLEX

Maximize $-x_1 - x_2 - 2x'_3 + 2x''_3 + 0s_1 + 0s_2 - Ma_1 - Ma_2$

We get rid of inequality signs by introducing slack variables and artificial variables(if neccessary). So, the constraints become

$$x_1 + 2x_2 - s_1 + a_1 = 4$$

$$x_2 + 7x'_3 - 7x''_3 + s_2 = 5$$

$$x_1 - 3x_2 + 5x'_3 - 5x''_3 + a_2 = 6$$

$$x_1, x_2, x'_3, x''_3, s_1, s_2, a_1, a_2 \geq 0$$

SOLVING PRIMAL USING SIMPLEX

Iteration-1		C_j	-1	-1	-2	2	0	0	-M	-M	
B	C_B	X_B	x_1	x_2	x_3'	x_3''	s_1	s_2	A_1	A_2	MinRatio $\frac{X_B}{x_3'}$
A_1	-M	4	1	2	0	0	-1	0	1	0	---
s_2	0	5	0	1	(7)	-7	0	1	0	0	$\frac{5}{7} = 0.7143 \rightarrow$
A_2	-M	6	1	-3	5	-5	0	0	0	1	$\frac{6}{5} = 1.2$
$Z = -10M$		Z_j	-2M	M	-5M	5M	M	0	-M	-M	
		$Z_j - C_j$	-2M+1	M+1	-5M+2 ↑	5M-2	M	0	0	0	

Pivot Element = 7

Entering = x_3' Departing = s_2

$$r_2 = r_2 / 7$$

$$r_3 = r_3 - 5r_2$$

SOLVING PRIMAL USING SIMPLEX

Iteration-2		C_j	-1	-1	-2	2	0	0	-M	-M	
B	C_B	X_B	x_1	x_2	x_3'	x_3''	S_1	S_2	A_1	A_2	MinRatio $\frac{X_B}{x_1}$
A_1	-M	4	1	2	0	0	-1	0	1	0	$\frac{4}{1} = 4$
x_3'	-2	$\frac{5}{7}$	0	$\frac{1}{7}$	1	-1	0	$\frac{1}{7}$	0	0	---
A_2	-M	$\frac{17}{7}$	(1)	$-\frac{26}{7}$	0	0	0	$-\frac{5}{7}$	0	1	$\frac{17}{7} = \frac{17}{7} = 2.4286 \rightarrow$
$Z = -\frac{45M}{7} - \frac{10}{7}$		Z_j	-2M	$\frac{12M}{7} - \frac{2}{7}$	-2	2	M	$\frac{5M}{7} - \frac{2}{7}$	-M	-M	
		$Z_j - C_j$	$-2M + 1 \uparrow$	$\frac{12M}{7} + \frac{5}{7}$	0	0	M	$\frac{5M}{7} + \frac{2}{7}$	0	0	

Pivot Element = 1

Entering = x_1' Departing = a_2

$$r_1 = r_1 - r_3$$

SOLVING PRIMAL USING SIMPLEX

Iteration-3		C_j	-1	-1	-2	2	0	0	-M	
B	C_B	X_B	x_1	x_2	x_3'	x_3''	S_1	S_2	A_1	MinRatio $\frac{X_B}{x_2}$
A_1	-M	$\frac{11}{7}$	0	$\left(\frac{40}{7}\right)$	0	0	-1	$\frac{5}{7}$	1	$\frac{\frac{11}{7}}{\frac{40}{7}} = \frac{11}{40} = 0.275 \rightarrow$
x_3'	-2	$\frac{5}{7}$	0	$\frac{1}{7}$	1	-1	0	$\frac{1}{7}$	0	$\frac{\frac{5}{7}}{\frac{1}{7}} = 5$
x_1	-1	$\frac{17}{7}$	1	$-\frac{26}{7}$	0	0	0	$-\frac{5}{7}$	0	---
$Z = -\frac{11M}{7} - \frac{27}{7}$		Z_j	-1	$-\frac{40M}{7} + \frac{24}{7}$	-2	2	M	$-\frac{5M}{7} + \frac{3}{7}$	-M	
		$Z_j - C_j$	0	$-\frac{40M}{7} + \frac{31}{7} \uparrow$	0	0	M	$-\frac{5M}{7} + \frac{3}{7}$	0	

Pivot Element = $40/7$

Entering = x_2' Departing = a_1

$$r_1 = 7/40r_1$$

$$r_2 = r_2 - 1/7r_1$$

$$r_3 = r_3 + 26/7r_1$$

SOLVING PRIMAL USING SIMPLEX

Iteration-4		C_j	-1	-1	-2	2	0	0	
B	C_B	X_B	x_1	x_2	x_3'	x_3''	s_1	s_2	MinRatio $\frac{X_B}{S_2}$
x_2	-1	$\frac{11}{40}$	0	1	0	0	$-\frac{7}{40}$	$\left(\frac{1}{8}\right)$	$\frac{\frac{11}{40}}{\frac{1}{8}} = \frac{11}{5} = 2.2 \rightarrow$
x_3'	-2	$\frac{27}{40}$	0	0	1	-1	$\frac{1}{40}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{\frac{27}{40}}{\frac{1}{8}} = \frac{27}{5} = 5.4$
x_1	-1	$\frac{69}{20}$	1	0	0	0	$-\frac{13}{20}$	$-\frac{1}{4}$	---
$Z = -\frac{203}{40}$		Z_j	-1	-1	-2	2	$\frac{31}{40}$	$-\frac{1}{8}$	
		$Z_j - C_j$	0	0	0	0	$\frac{31}{40}$	$-\frac{1}{8} \uparrow$	

Pivot Element = $1/8$

Entering = s_2' Departing = x_2

$$r_1 = 8r_1$$

$$r_2 = r_2 - 1/8r_1$$

$$r_3 = r_3 + 1/4r_1$$

SOLVING PRIMAL USING SIMPLEX

Iteration-5		C_j	-1	-1	-2	2	0	0	
B	C_B	X_B	x_1	x_2	x_3'	x_3''	s_1	s_2	MinRatio
s_2	0	$\frac{11}{5}$	0	8	0	0	$-\frac{7}{5}$	1	
x_3'	-2	$\frac{2}{5}$	0	-1	1	-1	$\frac{1}{5}$	0	
x_1	-1	4	1	2	0	0	-1	0	
$Z = -\frac{24}{5}$		Z_j	-1	0	-2	2	$\frac{3}{5}$	0	
		$Z_j - C_j$	0	1	0	0	$\frac{3}{5}$	0	

All $z_j - c_j$ are positive, hence we have reached optimal solution.

$$x_1 = 4, x_2 = 0, x_3' = 2/5, x_3'' = 0$$

Optimized cost = -4.8

Solving Dual using Simplex

SOLVING DUAL USING SIMPLEX

Maximize $4x_1 - 5x_2 + 6x'_3 - 6x''_3 + 0s_1 + 0s_2 - Ma_1$

We get rid of inequality signs by introducing slack variables and artificial variables(if neccessary). So, the constraints become

$$x_1 + x'_3 - x''_3 + s_1 = 1$$

$$2x_1 - x_2 - 3x'_3 + 3x''_3 + s_2 = 1$$

$$-7x_2 + 5x'_3 - 5x''_3 + a_1 = 2$$

$$x_1, x_2, x'_3, x''_3, s_1, s_2, a_1 \geq 0$$

SOLVING DUAL USING SIMPLEX

Iteration-1		C_j	4	-5	6	-6	0	0	-M	
B	C_B	X_B	x_1	x_2	x_3'	x_3''	s_1	s_2	A_1	MinRatio $\frac{X_B}{x_3'}$
s_1	0	1	1	0	1	-1	1	0	0	$\frac{1}{1} = 1$
s_2	0	1	2	-1	-3	3	0	1	0	---
A_1	-M	2	0	-7	(5)	-5	0	0	1	$\frac{2}{5} = 0.4 \rightarrow$
$Z = -2M$		Z_j	0	7M	-5M	5M	0	0	-M	
		$Z_j - C_j$	-4	7M+5	-5M-6 \uparrow	5M+6	0	0	0	

Pivot Element = 5

Entering = x_3' Departing = a_1

$$r_3 = 1/5r_3$$

$$r_1 = r_1 - r_3$$

$$r_2 = r_2 + 3r_3$$

SOLVING DUAL USING SIMPLEX

Iteration-2		C_j	4	-5	6	-6	0	0	
B	C_B	X_B	x_1	x_2	x_3'	x_3''	s_1	s_2	MinRatio $\frac{X_B}{x_1}$
s_1	0	$\frac{3}{5}$	(1)	$\frac{7}{5}$	0	0	1	0	$\frac{\frac{3}{5}}{1} = \frac{3}{5} = 0.6 \rightarrow$
s_2	0	$\frac{11}{5}$	2	$-\frac{26}{5}$	0	0	0	1	$\frac{\frac{11}{5}}{2} = \frac{11}{10} = 1.1$
x_3'	6	$\frac{2}{5}$	0	$-\frac{7}{5}$	1	-1	0	0	---
$Z = \frac{12}{5}$		Z_j	0	$-\frac{42}{5}$	6	-6	0	0	
		$Z_j - C_j$	-4 ↑	$-\frac{17}{5}$	0	0	0	0	

Pivot Element = 1

Entering = x_1' Departing = a_2

$$r_2 = r_2 - 2r_1$$

SOLVING DUAL USING SIMPLEX

Iteration-3		C_j	4	-5	6	-6	0	0	
B	C_B	X_B	x_1	x_2	x_3'	x_3''	S_1	S_2	MinRatio
x_1	4	$\frac{3}{5}$	1	$\frac{7}{5}$	0	0	1	0	
S_2	0	1	0	-8	0	0	-2	1	
x_3'	6	$\frac{2}{5}$	0	$-\frac{7}{5}$	1	-1	0	0	
$Z = \frac{24}{5}$		Z_j	4	$-\frac{14}{5}$	6	-6	4	0	
		$Z_j - C_j$	0	$\frac{11}{5}$	0	0	4	0	

All $z_j - c_j$ are positive, hence we have reached optimal solution.

$$x_1 = 3/5, x_2 = 0, x_3' = 2/5, x_3'' = 0$$

Optimized cost = 4.8