

Optimization in Industry Assignment 1

Mathematical Formulation for Round Robin Match Scheduling

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Sets

- T : Set of teams, indexed by i, j , where $i, j \in T$.
- D : Set of days in the tournament, indexed by d .

Parameters

- $I_{i,j}$: Binary parameter, 1 if the match between team i and j is interesting, 0 otherwise
- W_d : Binary parameter, 1 if d is a weekend, 0 otherwise.
- $D_{i,j}$: Distance between home stadiums of teams i and j .
- SC_i : Capacity of home stadium of team i .
- $E_{d,i}$: Binary parameter, 1 if there is a big event in the city of home stadium of team i on day d , 0 otherwise.
- Z_i : Zone of home stadium of team i .
- MinGap, MaxGap: Minimum and maximum gap between two consecutive matches for a team.
- $N_{i,j,d}$: Binary variable if there is a night match between team i and j at home stadium of i in day d , 0 otherwise

Decision Variables

- $x_{i,j,d}$ ($i \neq j$): Binary variable, 1 if match (day or night) is scheduled on day d at home stadium of i between team i and j , 0 otherwise.

Objective Function

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Maximize: } & \sum_{m \in M} \sum_{d \in D} \sum_{s \in S} \text{Interest}(m) \cdot x_{m,d,s} \cdot \text{Weekend}(d) \\ & - \lambda_1 \sum_{i \in T} \sum_{d \in D} \sum_{s_1, s_2 \in S} \text{Distance}(s_1, s_2) \cdot z_{i,d} \cdot z_{i,d+1}, \end{aligned}$$

where λ_1 is a weight balancing the importance of minimizing travel distances.

Constraints

1. Each team plays all others twice (one home and one away):

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{d \in D} \sum_{j \in T, j \neq i} x_{i,j,d} &= |T| - 1, \forall i \in T \\ \sum_{d \in D} \sum_{i \in T, i \neq j} x_{i,j,d} &= |T| - 1, \forall j \in T \end{aligned}$$

2. Only one match in a single day/night slot:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i,j \in T, i \neq j} x_{i,j,d} (1 - N_{i,j,d}) &\leq 1, \forall d \in D \\ \sum_{i,j \in T, i \neq j} x_{i,j,d} N_{i,j,d} &\leq 1, \forall d \in D \end{aligned}$$

3. Night Match is not possible if there is no match on that day

$$N_{i,j,d} \leq x_{i,j,d}$$

4. No overlapping of interesting matches:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i,j \in T, i \neq j} x_{i,j,d} I_{i,j} N_{i,j,d} &\leq 1 \quad \forall d \in D \\ \sum_{i,j \in T, i \neq j} x_{i,j,d} I_{i,j} (1 - N_{i,j,d}) &\leq 1 \quad \forall d \in D \end{aligned}$$

5. Match gaps for teams:

6. Minimize consecutive away matches:

7. Home/away match balance:

8. Avoid matches on restricted days:

$$x_{i,j,d} \leq 1 - E_{d,i} \quad \forall d \in D, \forall i, j \in T, i \neq j$$

9. Match relocation day for incase of rain:

$$x_{i,j,d} + x_{i,j,d+1} \leq 1 \quad \forall d \in D \setminus \{\text{end_date}\}$$

10. **Stadium capacity for smaller matches:**

11. **Day and night match balance:**

$$\sum_{d \in D: \text{DayMatch}(d)} y_{i,d} \approx \sum_{d \in D: \text{NightMatch}(d)} y_{i,d} \quad \forall i \in T.$$

Assumptions

- All matches can be rescheduled to the next day if rain occurs.
- Interesting matches are known in advanced and depends on which two teams are playing only.
- Stadiums are uniformly distributed across zones.
- Travel distances between stadiums are known and constant.
- Each team has only one home stadium.
- MinGap and MaxGap values are set based on league regulations.
- Day and night matches do not overlap with each other for any day.
- $\forall d \in D, d + 1$, is the immediate next day
- end_date is the last date in D