

## B2B HW solution

① Max  $5x_1 + 4x_2$   
 s.t.  $6x_1 + 13x_2 \leq 67$   
 $8x_1 + 5x_2 \leq 55$   
 $x_1, x_2 \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

Will solve each problem in Python

$P_1: Z = 36.8 \quad (x_1, x_2) = (5.1, 2.8)$

Both fractional, Branch on  $x_1$

I know  $Z^*_{IP} \leq 36.8$

$P_2: Z = 36.3 \quad (x_1, x_2) = (5, 2.9)$

$x_2$  fractional

$P_3: Z = 35.6 \quad (x_1, x_2) = (6, 1.4)$

$x_2$  fractional

At this point, I know

$Z^*_{IP} \leq 36$

I can branch on either  $P_2$  or  $P_3$ . Will choose  $P_2$

$P_4: Z = 33 \quad (x_1, x_2) = (5, 2)$

Integer

$P_5: Z = 35.3 \quad (x_1, x_2) = (4.7, 3)$

At this point, I know

$33 \leq Z^*_{IP} \leq 36$

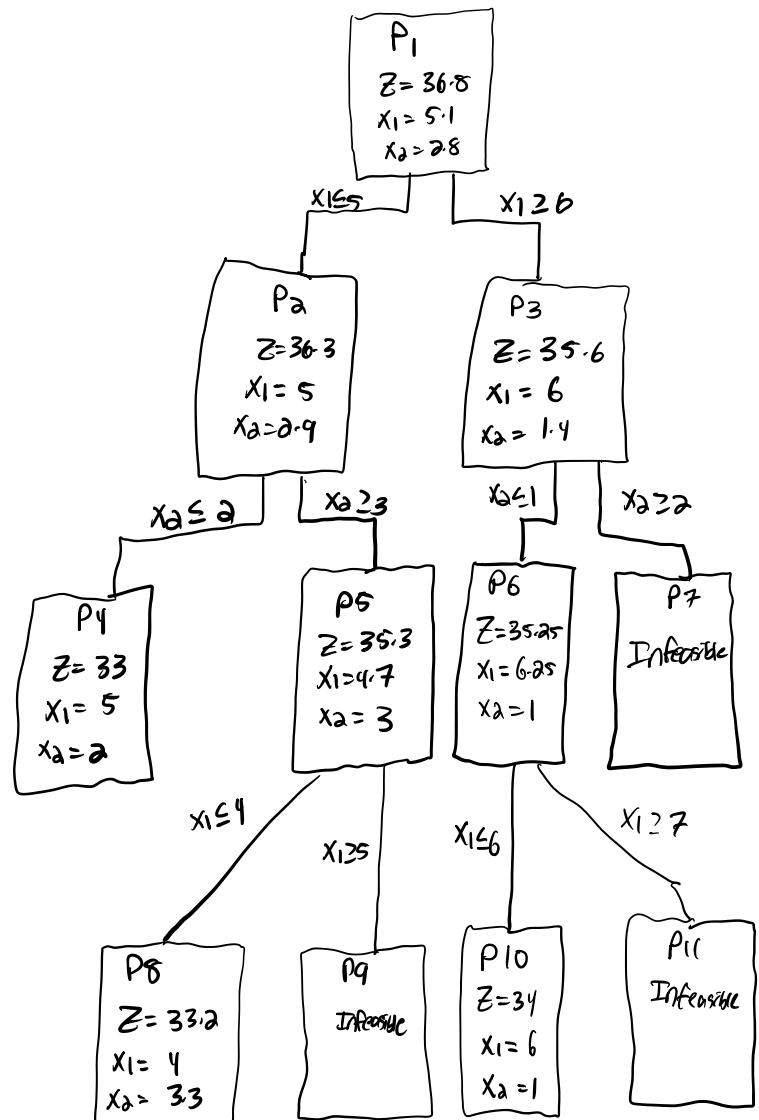
Can branch on either  $P_3$  or  $P_5$ . Choose  $P_3$

$P_6: Z = 35.25 \quad (x_1, x_2) = (6.25, 1)$

$P_7: \text{Infeasible}$

2 Active nodes,  $P_5$  and  $P_6$

Can branch on either. Choose  $P_5$ .



$P_8: Z = 33.2 \quad (x_1, x_2) = (4, 3.3)$

Prune  $P_8$  because bound = current CB

$P_9: \text{Infeasible}$

$P_{10}: Z = 34 \quad (x_1, x_2) = (6, 1)$

We know  $34 \leq Z^*_{IP} \leq 36$

(Note, our upper bound can be 35 here)

$P_{11}: \text{Infeasible}$

NO Active nodes,  $P_{10}$  optimal

$Z^* = 34$

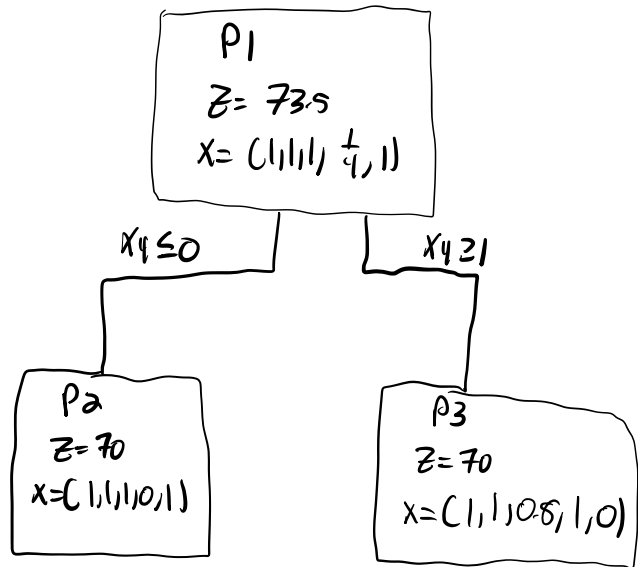
$x^* = (6, 1)$

② Max  $20x_1 + 16x_2 + 25x_3 + 14x_4 + 9x_5$   
s.t.  $3x_1 + 2x_2 + 5x_3 + 4x_4 + 2x_5 \leq 13$   
 $x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5 \in \{0, 1\}$

P1:  $Z = 73.5$ ,  $x_4$  is fractional  
We know  $Z_{IP}^* \leq 73.5$   
Branch on  $x_4$

P2:  $Z = 70$ , integer solution  
We know  $70 \leq Z_{IP}^* \leq 73$

P3:  $Z = 70$ ,  $x_3$  fractional  
Stop!  $70 = \text{lower bound}$ ,  
so no value in  
exploring this region



P2 optimal

$Z^* = 70$   
 $x^* = (1, 1, 1, 0, 1)$

