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Almost all network problems can be viewed as special cases of the

- ☐ a. minimal spanning tree problem.
- ☐ b. shortest path problem.
- ☒ c. transshipment problem.
- ☐ d. maximal flow problem.



The correct answer is: transshipment problem.

A node which can both send to and receive from other nodes is called a

- ☐ a. supply node.
- ☐ b. demand node.
- ☒ c. transshipment node.
- ☐ d. random node.



The correct answer is: transshipment node.

Which method is preferred for solving minimal spanning tree problems?

- ☐ a. transshipment models
- ☒ b. manual algorithms
- ☐ c. simulation
- ☐ d. linear programming



The correct answer is: manual algorithms

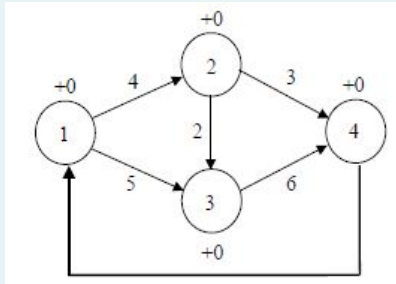
How many arcs are required to make a spanning tree in a network with n nodes and m arcs?

- ☐ a. m
- ☒ b. $n-1$
- ☐ c. n
- ☐ d. $m-1$



The correct answer is: $n-1$

What is the objective function in the following maximal flow problem?



- ☐ a. $\text{MAX } X_{14}$
- ☒ b. $\text{MAX } X_{41}$
- ☐ c. $\text{MAX } X_{12} + X_{13} + X_{23} + X_{24} + X_{34}$
- ☐ d. $\text{MIN } X_{41}$



The correct answer is: $\text{MAX } X_{41}$

Which method is preferred for solving fully connected transportation problems?

- ☐ a. network flow methods
- ☒ b. linear programming
- ☐ c. trial and error
- ☐ d. simulation



The correct answer is: linear programming

The right hand side value (constraint) for the ending node in a shortest path problem has a value of

- ☐ a. 2
- ☐ b. -1
- ☐ c. 0

☒ d. 1



The correct answer is: 1

The number of constraints in network flow problems is determined by the number of

- ☐ a. demands.
- ☒ b. nodes.
- ☐ c. supplies.
- ☐ d. arcs.



The correct answer is: nodes.

How could a network be modified if demand exceeds available supply?

- ☐ a. remove the extra demand arcs
- ☒ b. add a dummy supply
- ☐ c. add a dummy demand
- ☐ d. add extra supply arcs



The correct answer is: add a dummy supply

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