

MAT 168 Calculation 1

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2.1 We first start by rewriting as a dictionary:

$$\begin{array}{ll}\text{maximize} & \zeta = 0 + 6x_1 + 8x_2 + 5x_3 + 9x_4 \\ \text{subject to} & x_5 = 5 - 2x_1 - x_2 - x_3 - 3x_4 \\ & x_6 = 3 - x_1 - 3x_2 - x_3 - 2x_4\end{array}$$

Then we can begin by entering with the largest variable, x_4 .

We look at the constraints and see:

- $x_5 \implies x_4 \leq \frac{5}{3}$
- $x_6 \implies x_4 \leq \frac{3}{2}$

The more restrictive constraint is that $x_4 \leq \frac{3}{2}$, so set $x_4 = \frac{3}{2}$.

So we can let x_4 enter and x_6 exit.

$$x_4 = \frac{3}{2} - \frac{1}{2}x_1 - \frac{3}{2}x_2 - \frac{1}{2}x_3 - \frac{1}{2}x_6$$

This gives a new value for x_5 .

$$x_5 = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}x_1 + \frac{7}{2}x_2 + \frac{1}{2}x_3 + \frac{3}{2}x_6$$

This gives a new value for ζ .

$$\zeta = \frac{27}{2} + \frac{3}{2}x_1 - \frac{11}{2}x_2 + \frac{1}{2}x_3 - \frac{9}{2}x_6$$

So we have a new dictionary:

$$\begin{array}{ll}
\text{maximize} & \zeta = \frac{27}{2} + \frac{3}{2}x_1 - \frac{11}{2}x_2 + \frac{1}{2}x_3 - \frac{9}{2}x_6 \\
\text{subject to} & x_5 = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}x_1 + \frac{7}{2}x_2 + \frac{1}{2}x_3 + \frac{3}{2}x_6 \\
& x_4 = \frac{3}{2} - \frac{1}{2}x_1 - \frac{3}{2}x_2 - \frac{1}{2}x_3 - \frac{1}{2}x_6
\end{array}$$

Now, we can continue optimizing since x_1 has a positive coefficient.

We look at the constraints and see:

- $x_5 \implies x_1 \leq 1$
- $x_4 \implies x_1 \leq 3$

The more restrictive constraint is that $x_1 \leq 1$, so set $x_1 = 1$.

So we can let x_1 enter and x_5 exit.

$$x_1 = 1 + 7x_2 + x_3 + 3x_6 - 2x_5$$

This gives a new value for x_4 .

$$x_4 = 1 - 5x_2 - x_3 - 2x_6 + x_5$$

This gives a new value for ζ .

$$\zeta = 15 + 5x_2 + 2x_3 - 3x_5$$

So we have a new dictionary:

$$\begin{array}{ll}
\text{maximize} & \zeta = 15 + 5x_2 + 2x_3 - 3x_5 \\
\text{subject to} & x_1 = 1 + 7x_2 + x_3 + 3x_6 - 2x_5 \\
& x_4 = 1 - 5x_2 - x_3 - 2x_6 + x_5
\end{array}$$

Now, we can continue optimizing since x_2 has a positive coefficient.

We look at the constraints and see:

- $x_1 \implies x_2 \geq 0$
- $x_4 \implies x_2 \leq \frac{1}{5}$

The more restrictive constraint is that $x_2 \leq \frac{1}{5}$, so set $x_2 = \frac{1}{5}$.

So we can let x_2 enter and x_4 exit.

$$x_2 = \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{5}x_4 - \frac{1}{5}x_3 - \frac{2}{5}x_6 + \frac{1}{5}x_5$$

This gives a new value for x_1 .

$$x_1 = \frac{12}{5} - \frac{7}{5}x_4 - \frac{2}{5}x_3 + \frac{1}{5}x_6 - \frac{3}{5}x_5$$

This gives a new value for ζ .

$$\zeta = 16 - x_4 + x_3 - 2x_6 - 2x_5$$

So we have a new dictionary:

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{maximize} & \zeta = 16 - x_4 + x_3 - 2x_6 - 2x_5 \\ \text{subject to} & x_1 = \frac{12}{5} - \frac{7}{5}x_4 - \frac{2}{5}x_3 + \frac{1}{5}x_6 - \frac{3}{5}x_5 \\ & x_2 = \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{5}x_4 - \frac{1}{5}x_3 - \frac{2}{5}x_6 + \frac{1}{5}x_5 \end{array}$$

Now, we can continue optimizing since x_3 has a positive coefficient.

We look at the constraints and see:

- $x_1 \implies x_3 \leq 6$
- $x_2 \implies x_3 \leq 1$

The more restrictive constraint is that $x_3 \leq 1$, so set $x_3 = 1$.

So we can let x_3 enter and x_2 exit.

$$x_3 = 1 - x_4 - 5x_2 - 2x_6 + x_5$$

This gives a new value for x_1 .

$$x_1 = 2 - x_4 + 2x_2 + x_6 - x_5$$

This gives a new value for ζ .

$$\zeta = 17 - 2x_4 - 5x_2 - 4x_6 - x_5$$

So we have a new dictionary:

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{maximize} & \zeta = 17 - 2x_4 - 5x_2 - 4x_6 - x_5 \\ \text{subject to} & x_1 = 2 - x_4 + 2x_2 + x_6 - x_5 \\ & x_3 = 1 - x_4 - 5x_2 - 2x_6 + x_5 \end{array}$$

Since we have no more optimizable variables (all variable coefficients of ζ are non-positive), we can no longer maximize ζ .

Then we have an optimal solution with $x_1 = 2, x_3 = 1, x_2 = x_4 = x_5 = x_6 = 0$, and value 17.

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