

# BRN1 — BRN1 TASK 3: IDENTIFICATION OF THE OBJECTIVE FUNCTION AND CONSTRAINTS

OPTIMIZATION — D605

PRFA — BRN1

Preparation

**Task Overview**

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## COMPETENCIES

### 4165.1.3: Solves an Optimization Problem

The learner solves an optimization problem programmatically.

## INTRODUCTION

In this task, you will provide a solution for the problem defined in Task 2 implemented in either Python or R. Your solution will invoke an optimization solver in your code, and you will describe how the code functions. You will analyze the output of your model. Finally, you will reflect on what you expected against the outcome of your approach.

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- A. Using the mathematical representations that you developed in Task 2, write a program in either Python or R to solve the optimization problem computationally.
1. Demonstrate that the solver provided a solution to the optimization problem.

*Note: You will submit your code through a cloud repository platform. This will need to include the repository itself along with its history of changes.*

- B. Analyze the output of your model to demonstrate that the solution satisfies the requirements of the problem.
1. Demonstrate that the constraints of the optimization problem are satisfied.
  2. Demonstrate that the solution includes decision variables, constraints, and the objective function.
  3. Explain why the solution that your code outputs matches your expected output.
- C. Provide a reflection on how the development of your approach matched your expectations of the process.
- D. Acknowledge sources, using in-text citations and references, for content that is quoted, paraphrased, or summarized.
- E. Demonstrate professional communication in the content and presentation of your submission.

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**RUBRIC**

A:OPTIMIZATION PROBLEM PROGRAM

<p><b>NOT EVIDENT</b></p> <p>A program to solve the optimization problem computationally has not been written.</p>	<p><b>APPROACHING COMPETENCE</b></p> <p>The program to solve the optimization problem computationally has been written, but it has been written using a language other than Python or R.</p>	<p><b>COMPETENT</b></p> <p>The program to solve the optimization problem computationally has been written in either Python or R.</p>
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A1:DEMONSTRATE SOLVER SOLUTION

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