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Still working on the paper **Resource and Power Allocation in SWIPT-Enabled Device-to-Device Communications Based on a Nonlinear Energy Harvesting Model**. Record some notes for the piecewise linear EH model mentioned in this paper, and methods for transforming the linear programming model into nonlinear programming model.

Technical term

- **Piecewise linear functions**

It is a function whose graph consists of straight line segments. it is a function of which the each piecewise is linear.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x & x \leq 2 \\ -x + 3 & x > 2 \end{cases}$$

For the linear EH model mentioned in this paper:

$$EH_i^D = \begin{cases} 0 & P_i^R \in [P_{th}^0, P_{th}^1] \\ k_j P_i^R + b_j, & P_i^R \in [P_{th}^j, P_{th}^{j+1}], j \in 1, \dots, L-1 \\ P_{max}^{EH} & P_i^R \in [P_{th}^L, P_{th}^{L+1}] \end{cases}$$

Where the EH_i^D is the power harvested by D2D receiver i, and P_i^R is the received power for EH at D2D receiver i when sharing the RB with CUE k, which can be expressed as:

$$P_i^R = \lambda_i^e (P_i^D + P_k^C h_{k,i} + N_0)$$

Note that $P_{th} = \{P_{th}^j | 1 \leq j \leq L+1\}$ is the set of thresholds on P_i^R for $L+1$ linear segments. The k_j and b_j are the coefficients and the intercept of the linear function in the j_{th} segment. P_{th}^1 denotes the minimum received power requirement for activating the **RF EH** circuit, which is also the circuit sensitivity of the EH circuit, and P_{max}^{EH} is the maximum power the **RF EH** circuit can harvest.

So the above piecewise linear EH model shows the **different amount of energy that the system can harvest at different segment**.

- **Maximization of energy efficiency(EE)for SWIPT-enabled D2D links**

The final equation of **Energy Efficiency(EE)** for D2D links can be expressed by

$$EE_i^D = \frac{T_i^D}{EC_i^D} = \frac{\log_2(1 + \frac{P_i^D h_i^D}{(P_k^C h_{k,i} + N_0) + \frac{N_1}{1-\lambda_i^e}})}{P_i^D + 2P_{cir} - EH_i^D}$$

As shown in the equation, if i want to find the maximum value of the Energy Efficiency, it is all about finding a optimal value for the transmission power at D2D link i (P_i^D), the harvest energy from the system(EH_i^D), the power splitting ratio(λ_i^e).

And in this paper, the transmission power for **CUE link is constant for simulation**.

Accordingly, In this paper the EE maximization problem was formulated as

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{P1:} \quad & \max_{\{P_i^D, \lambda_e^i, i \in Eha^D\}} EE_i^D \\
\text{s.t.} \quad & \text{C1 : } 0 < P_i^D \leq P_{\max} \\
& \text{C2 : } 0 \leq \lambda_e^i \leq 1 \\
& \text{C3 : } T_i^D \geq T_{\min}^D \\
& \text{C4 : } T_k^C \geq T_{\min}^C \\
& \text{C5 : } P_i^R \geq P_{th}^1 \\
& \text{C6 : } P_{th}^j \leq P_i^R \leq P_{th}^{j+1}, \quad j \in 0, \dots, L \quad (12)
\end{aligned}$$

- **non-linear programming**

In [mathematics](#), **nonlinear programming (NLP)** is the process of solving an [optimization problem](#) where some of the constraints or the objective function are [nonlinear](#)

- **linear programming:**

Linear programming is a simple technique where we **depict** complex relationships through linear functions and then find the optimum points. The important word in the previous sentence is depicted. The real relationships might be much more complex – but we can simplify them to linear relationships.

As shown in the figure 1, it is a very classic example for people to use LP to save on fuel and time and find the shortest route.

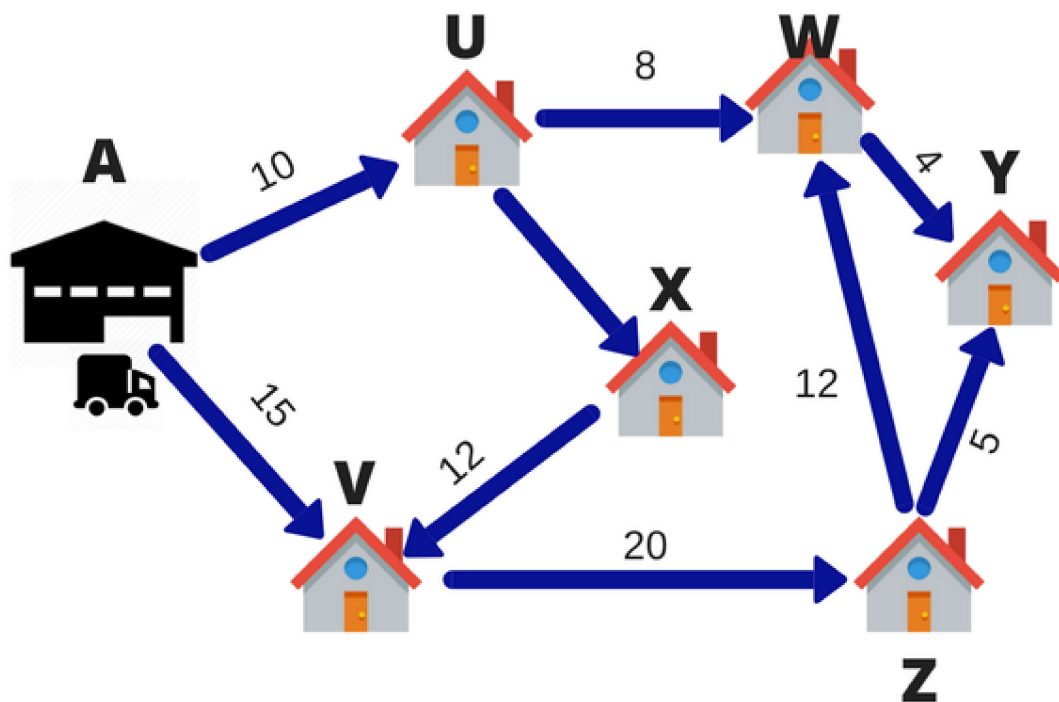


Figure 1: A simple example for linear programming

Notation definition

- $\operatorname{argmax}_S f = \{x \in f(s) \text{ for all } s \in S\}$: argmax is the set of points x for which $f(x)$ attains the function's largest value (if it exists). Argmax may be the empty set, a singleton, or contain multiple elements.

Literature Review

1. On nonlinear fractional programming:

1. To figure out how did the authors transform a the nonconvex factional programming problem which is very difficult to solve into a nonfractional problem by employing nonlinear fractional programming.

- Some mathematic concepts:
 - Compact space: In [mathematics](#), specifically [general topology](#), **compactness** is a property that generalizes the notion of a subset of [Euclidean space](#) being [closed](#) (containing all its [limit points](#)) and [bounded](#) (having all its points lie within some fixed distance of each other).
 - Euclidean space: Euclidean space is the fundamental space of [classical geometry](#). Originally, it was the [three-dimensional space](#) of [Euclidean geometry](#), but in modern [mathematics](#) there are Euclidean spaces of any nonnegative integer [dimension](#), [1] including the three-dimensional space and the *Euclidean plane* (dimension two).
- First of all, we need to figure out the relationship between nonlinear fractional nonlinear parametric Programming:

Let's set two different real-valued functions $N(x)$ and $D(x)$, they are all continuous. In addition, we also assumed that: $D(x) > 0$ for all $x \in S$.

To figure out the problems mentioned before, we need to think about two following questions:

1. $\max\{\frac{N(x)}{D(x)} | x \in S\}$
2. $\max\{N(x) - qD(x) | x \in S\}$ for $q \in E^1$ where E^1 is one dimensional Euclidean space

According to Dickelbach, we have a couple of following Lemmas.

- **Lemma 1:** $F(q) = \max\{N(x) - qD(x) | x \in S\}$ is convex over E^1
- **Lemma 2:** $F(q)$ is continuous for $q \in E^1$.
- **Lemma 3:** $F(q) = \max\{N(x) - qD(x) | x \in S\}$ is strictly monotonic decreasing.
- **Lemma 4:** $F(q) = 0$ has an unique solution, q_0
- **Lemma 5:** Let $x^+ \in S$ and $q^+ = \frac{N(x^+)}{D(x^+)}$ then $F(q^+) \geq 0$

For any $q = q^*$, the maximum of $\{N(x) - q^*D(x) | x \in S\}$ is taken on, for instance at x^* ; this may be indicated by writing $F(q^*, x^*)$. Now that we can get a theorem:

$$q_0 = \frac{N(x_0)}{D(x_0)} = \max\{\frac{N(x)}{D(x)} | x \in S\} \text{ if and only if,}$$
$$F(q_0) = F(q_0, x_0) = \max\{N(x) - q_0D(x) | x \in S\} = 0$$

Now, back to the problem, for the original equation we have:

$$EE_i^D = \frac{T_i^D}{EC_i^D}$$

This is the target of the whole paper we want to find the maximum value of the Energy efficiency. Now we can use the method that we deduced above:

$$\max\{T_i^D - Q_i^D EC_i^D\}, \quad i \in Eha^D$$

Where in this method T_i^D and EC_i^D is $N(x)$ and $D(x)$ respectively. And according to the nonlinear fractional programming method there is a Q_i^D which can let the $F(T_i^D, EC_i^D) = 0$.

Then remember that we have this equation and a couple constraints:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{P1:} \quad & \max_{\{P_i^D, \lambda_e^i, i \in Eha^D\}} EE_i^D \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & \text{C1 : } 0 < P_i^D \leq P_{\max} \\ & \text{C2 : } 0 \leq \lambda_e^e \leq 1 \\ & \text{C3 : } T_i^D \geq T_{\min}^D \\ & \text{C4 : } T_k^C \geq T_{\min}^C \\ & \text{C5 : } P_i^R \geq P_{th}^1 \\ & \text{C6 : } P_{th}^j \leq P_i^R \leq P_{th}^{j+1}, \quad j \in 0, \dots, L \quad (12) \end{aligned}$$

So according to the usage of Lagrange multipliers, C1-C6 can all be thought of as different constraints. And if you want to find the Maximum value of EE_i^D , we can put them all into the Lagrange function:

$$\begin{aligned} EE_i^D = T_i^D - Q_i^D EC_i^D - \alpha(P_i^D - P_{\max}) \\ - \beta(\lambda_e^e - 1) + \gamma(T_i^D - T_{\min}^D) + \delta(T_i^C - T_{\min}^C) + \epsilon(P_i^R - P_{th}^1) \end{aligned}$$

Where all of these symbols are Lagrange multipliers for C1-C5 respectively.