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Find Solution of Transportation Problem using North-West Corner method

TOTAL no. of supply constraints : 9

TOTAL no. of demand constraints : 6

Problem Table is

	`D_1`	`D_2`	`D_3`	`D_4`	`D_5`	`D_6`	Supply
`S_1`	0	2	4	6	8	0	20
`S_2`	5	7	9	11	13	0	15
`S_3`	10	12	14	16	18	0	30
`S_4`	999999	5	7	9	11	0	20
`S_5`	999999	10	12	14	16	0	30
`S_6`	999999	999999	7	9	11	0	25
`S_7`	999999	999999	10	12	14	0	30
`S_8`	999999	999999	999999	8	10	0	30
`S_9`	999999	999999	999999	10	12	0	30
Demand	30	40	50	60	20	30	

The rim values for `S_1`=20 and `D_1`=30 are compared.

The smaller of the two i.e. $\min(20,30) = 20$ is assigned to `S_1` `D_1`

This exhausts the capacity of `S_1` and leaves $30 - 20 = 10$ units with `D_1`

Table-1

	`D_1`	`D_2`	`D_3`	`D_4`	`D_5`	`D_6`	Supply
`S_1`	0 (20)	2	4	6	8	0	0
`S_2`	5	7	9	11	13	0	15
`S_3`	10	12	14	16	18	0	30
`S_4`	999999	5	7	9	11	0	20
`S_5`	999999	10	12	14	16	0	30
`S_6`	999999	999999	7	9	11	0	25
`S_7`	999999	999999	10	12	14	0	30
`S_8`	999999	999999	999999	8	10	0	30
`S_9`	999999	999999	999999	10	12	0	30
Demand	10	40	50	60	20	30	

The rim values for $S_2=15$ and $D_1=10$ are compared.

The smaller of the two i.e. $\min(15,10) = 10$ is assigned to $S_2 \ D_1$

This meets the complete demand of D_1 and leaves $15 - 10 = 5$ units with S_2

Table-2

	D_1	D_2	D_3	D_4	D_5	D_6	Supply
S_1	0 (20)	2	4	6	8	0	0
S_2	5 (10)	7	9	11	13	0	5
S_3	10	12	14	16	18	0	30
S_4	99999	5	7	9	11	0	20
S_5	99999	10	12	14	16	0	30
S_6	99999	99999	7	9	11	0	25
S_7	99999	99999	10	12	14	0	30
S_8	99999	99999	99999	8	10	0	30
S_9	99999	99999	99999	10	12	0	30
Demand	0	40	50	60	20	30	

The rim values for $S_2=5$ and $D_2=40$ are compared.

The smaller of the two i.e. $\min(5,40) = 5$ is assigned to $S_2 \ D_2$

This exhausts the capacity of S_2 and leaves $40 - 5 = 35$ units with D_2

Table-3

	D_1	D_2	D_3	D_4	D_5	D_6	Supply
S_1	0 (20)	2	4	6	8	0	0
S_2	5 (10)	7 (5)	9	11	13	0	0
S_3	10	12	14	16	18	0	30
S_4	99999	5	7	9	11	0	20
S_5	99999	10	12	14	16	0	30
S_6	99999	99999	7	9	11	0	25
S_7	99999	99999	10	12	14	0	30
S_8	99999	99999	99999	8	10	0	30
S_9	99999	99999	99999	10	12	0	30

Demand	0	35	50	60	20	30	
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The rim values for $S_3=30$ and $D_2=35$ are compared.

The smaller of the two i.e. $\min(30,35) = 30$ is assigned to $S_3 \ D_2$

This exhausts the capacity of S_3 and leaves $35 - 30 = 5$ units with D_2

Table-4

	D_1	D_2	D_3	D_4	D_5	D_6	Supply
S_1	0 (20)	2	4	6	8	0	0
S_2	5 (10)	7 (5)	9	11	13	0	0
S_3	10	12 (30)	14	16	18	0	0
S_4	999999	5	7	9	11	0	20
S_5	999999	10	12	14	16	0	30
S_6	999999	999999	7	9	11	0	25
S_7	999999	999999	10	12	14	0	30
S_8	999999	999999	999999	8	10	0	30
S_9	999999	999999	999999	10	12	0	30
Demand	0	5	50	60	20	30	

The rim values for $S_4=20$ and $D_2=5$ are compared.

The smaller of the two i.e. $\min(20,5) = 5$ is assigned to $S_4 \ D_2$

This meets the complete demand of D_2 and leaves $20 - 5 = 15$ units with S_4

Table-5

	D_1	D_2	D_3	D_4	D_5	D_6	Supply
S_1	0 (20)	2	4	6	8	0	0
S_2	5 (10)	7 (5)	9	11	13	0	0
S_3	10	12 (30)	14	16	18	0	0
S_4	999999	5 (5)	7	9	11	0	15
S_5	999999	10	12	14	16	0	30
S_6	999999	999999	7	9	11	0	25
S_7	999999	999999	10	12	14	0	30
S_8	999999	999999	999999	8	10	0	30

`S_9`	999999	999999	999999	10	12	0	30
Demand	0	0	50	60	20	30	

The rim values for `S_4`=15 and `D_3`=50 are compared.

The smaller of the two i.e. $\min(15, 50) = 15$ is assigned to `S_4` `D_3`

This exhausts the capacity of `S_4` and leaves $50 - 15 = 35$ units with `D_3`

Table-6

	`D_1`	`D_2`	`D_3`	`D_4`	`D_5`	`D_6`	Supply
`S_1`	0 (20)	2	4	6	8	0	0
`S_2`	5 (10)	7 (5)	9	11	13	0	0
`S_3`	10	12 (30)	14	16	18	0	0
`S_4`	999999	5 (5)	7 (15)	9	11	0	0
`S_5`	999999	10	12	14	16	0	30
`S_6`	999999	999999	7	9	11	0	25
`S_7`	999999	999999	10	12	14	0	30
`S_8`	999999	999999	999999	8	10	0	30
`S_9`	999999	999999	999999	10	12	0	30
Demand	0	0	35	60	20	30	

The rim values for `S_5`=30 and `D_3`=35 are compared.

The smaller of the two i.e. $\min(30, 35) = 30$ is assigned to `S_5` `D_3`

This exhausts the capacity of `S_5` and leaves $35 - 30 = 5$ units with `D_3`

Table-7

	`D_1`	`D_2`	`D_3`	`D_4`	`D_5`	`D_6`	Supply
`S_1`	0 (20)	2	4	6	8	0	0
`S_2`	5 (10)	7 (5)	9	11	13	0	0
`S_3`	10	12 (30)	14	16	18	0	0
`S_4`	999999	5 (5)	7 (15)	9	11	0	0
`S_5`	999999	10	12 (30)	14	16	0	0
`S_6`	999999	999999	7	9	11	0	25

`S_7`	999999	999999	10	12	14	0	30
`S_8`	999999	999999	999999	8	10	0	30
`S_9`	999999	999999	999999	10	12	0	30
Demand	0	0	5	60	20	30	

The rim values for `S_6`=25 and `D_3`=5 are compared.

The smaller of the two i.e. $\min(25,5) = 5$ is assigned to `S_6` `D_3`

This meets the complete demand of `D_3` and leaves $25 - 5 = 20$ units with `S_6`

Table-8

	`D_1`	`D_2`	`D_3`	`D_4`	`D_5`	`D_6`	Supply
`S_1`	0 (20)	2	4	6	8	0	0
`S_2`	5 (10)	7 (5)	9	11	13	0	0
`S_3`	10	12 (30)	14	16	18	0	0
`S_4`	999999	5 (5)	7 (15)	9	11	0	0
`S_5`	999999	10	12 (30)	14	16	0	0
`S_6`	999999	999999	7 (5)	9	11	0	20
`S_7`	999999	999999	10	12	14	0	30
`S_8`	999999	999999	999999	8	10	0	30
`S_9`	999999	999999	999999	10	12	0	30
Demand	0	0	0	60	20	30	

The rim values for `S_6`=20 and `D_4`=60 are compared.

The smaller of the two i.e. $\min(20,60) = 20$ is assigned to `S_6` `D_4`

This exhausts the capacity of `S_6` and leaves $60 - 20 = 40$ units with `D_4`

Table-9

	`D_1`	`D_2`	`D_3`	`D_4`	`D_5`	`D_6`	Supply
`S_1`	0 (20)	2	4	6	8	0	0
`S_2`	5 (10)	7 (5)	9	11	13	0	0
`S_3`	10	12 (30)	14	16	18	0	0
`S_4`	999999	5 (5)	7 (15)	9	11	0	0
`S_5`	999999	10	12 (30)	14	16	0	0

`S_6`	999999	999999	7 (5)	9 (20)	11	0	0
`S_7`	999999	999999	10	12	14	0	30
`S_8`	999999	999999	999999	8	10	0	30
`S_9`	999999	999999	999999	10	12	0	30
Demand	0	0	0	40	20	30	

The rim values for `S_7`=30 and `D_4`=40 are compared.

The smaller of the two i.e. $\min(30,40) = 30$ is assigned to `S_7` `D_4`

This exhausts the capacity of `S_7` and leaves $40 - 30 = 10$ units with `D_4`

Table-10

	`D_1`	`D_2`	`D_3`	`D_4`	`D_5`	`D_6`	Supply
`S_1`	0 (20)	2	4	6	8	0	0
`S_2`	5 (10)	7 (5)	9	11	13	0	0
`S_3`	10	12 (30)	14	16	18	0	0
`S_4`	999999	5 (5)	7 (15)	9	11	0	0
`S_5`	999999	10	12 (30)	14	16	0	0
`S_6`	999999	999999	7 (5)	9 (20)	11	0	0
`S_7`	999999	999999	10	12 (30)	14	0	0
`S_8`	999999	999999	999999	8	10	0	30
`S_9`	999999	999999	999999	10	12	0	30
Demand	0	0	0	10	20	30	

The rim values for `S_8`=30 and `D_4`=10 are compared.

The smaller of the two i.e. $\min(30,10) = 10$ is assigned to `S_8` `D_4`

This meets the complete demand of `D_4` and leaves $30 - 10 = 20$ units with `S_8`

Table-11

	`D_1`	`D_2`	`D_3`	`D_4`	`D_5`	`D_6`	Supply
`S_1`	0 (20)	2	4	6	8	0	0
`S_2`	5 (10)	7 (5)	9	11	13	0	0
`S_3`	10	12 (30)	14	16	18	0	0
`S_4`	999999	5 (5)	7 (15)	9	11	0	0

`S_5`	999999	10	12 (30)	14	16	0	0
`S_6`	999999	999999	7 (5)	9 (20)	11	0	0
`S_7`	999999	999999	10	12 (30)	14	0	0
`S_8`	999999	999999	999999	8 (10)	10	0	20
`S_9`	999999	999999	999999	10	12	0	30
Demand	0	0	0	0	20	30	

The rim values for `S_8`=20 and `D_5`=20 are compared.

The smaller of the two i.e. $\min(20,20) = 20$ is assigned to `S_8` `D_5`

This exhausts the capacity of `S_8` and leaves $20 - 20 = 0$ units with `D_5`

Table-12

	`D_1`	`D_2`	`D_3`	`D_4`	`D_5`	`D_6`	Supply
`S_1`	0 (20)	2	4	6	8	0	0
`S_2`	5 (10)	7 (5)	9	11	13	0	0
`S_3`	10	12 (30)	14	16	18	0	0
`S_4`	999999	5 (5)	7 (15)	9	11	0	0
`S_5`	999999	10	12 (30)	14	16	0	0
`S_6`	999999	999999	7 (5)	9 (20)	11	0	0
`S_7`	999999	999999	10	12 (30)	14	0	0
`S_8`	999999	999999	999999	8 (10)	10 (20)	0	0
`S_9`	999999	999999	999999	10	12	0	30
Demand	0	0	0	0	0	30	

The rim values for `S_9`=30 and `D_5`=0 are compared.

The smaller of the two i.e. $\min(30,0) = 0$ is assigned to `S_9` `D_5`

This meets the complete demand of `D_5` and leaves $30 - 0 = 30$ units with `S_9`

Table-13

	`D_1`	`D_2`	`D_3`	`D_4`	`D_5`	`D_6`	Supply
`S_1`	0 (20)	2	4	6	8	0	0
`S_2`	5 (10)	7 (5)	9	11	13	0	0
`S_3`	10	12 (30)	14	16	18	0	0

`S_4`	999999	5 (5)	7 (15)	9	11	0	0
`S_5`	999999	10	12 (30)	14	16	0	0
`S_6`	999999	999999	7 (5)	9 (20)	11	0	0
`S_7`	999999	999999	10	12 (30)	14	0	0
`S_8`	999999	999999	999999	8 (10)	10 (20)	0	0
`S_9`	999999	999999	999999	10	12	0	30
Demand	0	0	0	0	0	30	

The rim values for `S_9`=30 and `D_6`=30 are compared.

The smaller of the two i.e. $\min(30,30) = 30$ is assigned to `S_9` `D_6`

Table-14

	`D_1`	`D_2`	`D_3`	`D_4`	`D_5`	`D_6`	Supply
`S_1`	0 (20)	2	4	6	8	0	0
`S_2`	5 (10)	7 (5)	9	11	13	0	0
`S_3`	10	12 (30)	14	16	18	0	0
`S_4`	999999	5 (5)	7 (15)	9	11	0	0
`S_5`	999999	10	12 (30)	14	16	0	0
`S_6`	999999	999999	7 (5)	9 (20)	11	0	0
`S_7`	999999	999999	10	12 (30)	14	0	0
`S_8`	999999	999999	999999	8 (10)	10 (20)	0	0
`S_9`	999999	999999	999999	10	12	0 (30)	0
Demand	0	0	0	0	0	0	

Final Allocation Table is

	`D_1`	`D_2`	`D_3`	`D_4`	`D_5`	`D_6`	Supply
`S_1`	0 (20)	2	4	6	8	0	20
`S_2`	5 (10)	7 (5)	9	11	13	0	15
`S_3`	10	12 (30)	14	16	18	0	30
`S_4`	999999	5 (5)	7 (15)	9	11	0	20
`S_5`	999999	10	12 (30)	14	16	0	30
`S_6`	999999	999999	7 (5)	9 (20)	11	0	25

`S_7`	999999	999999	10	12 (30)	14	0	30
`S_8`	999999	999999	999999	8 (10)	10 (20)	0	30
`S_9`	999999	999999	999999	10	12	0 (30)	30
Demand	30	40	50	60	20	30	

The minimum total transportation cost $= 0 \times 20 + 5 \times 10 + 7 \times 5 + 12 \times 30 + 5 \times 5 + 7 \times 15 + 12 \times 30 + 7 \times 5 + 9 \times 20 + 12 \times 30 + 8 \times 10 + 10 \times 20 + 0 \times 30 = 1790$

Here, the number of allocated cells = 13, which is one less than to $m + n - 1 = 9 + 6 - 1 = 14$

\therefore This solution is degenerate

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