

Quantitative Management Modeling

Assignment #1

Linear Programming Model

Question 1:

Decision Variables

- A = Collegiate backpacks
- B = Mini backpacks

Objective Function - The objective is to maximize the profit.

Mathematical Formulation:

$$X = 32A + 24B$$

$$\text{Nylon Constraint} - 3A + 2B \leq 5000$$

$$\text{Sales Constraint} - A \leq 1000, B \leq 1200$$

$$\text{Labor Constraint} - 45A + 40B \leq 35 \cdot 40 \cdot 60$$

Question 2:

Decision Variables

- A^l , A^m , and A^s = number of large, medium, and small units for plant 1
- B^l , B^m , and B^s = number of large, medium, and small units for plant 2
- C^l , C^m , and C^s = number of large, medium, and small units for plant 3

Objective - The objective is to maximize the profit

Mathematical Formulation:

$$(\text{Max}) X = 420(A^l + B^l + C^l) + 360(A^m + B^m + C^m) + 300(A^s + B^s + C^s)$$

Constraint 1: Production

$$P1 - A^l + A^m + A^s \leq 750$$

$$P2 - B^l + B^m + B^s \leq 900$$

$$P3 - C^l + C^m + C^s \leq 450$$

Constraint 2: Storage

$$P1 - 20A^l + 15A^m + 12A^s \leq 13000$$

$$P2 - 20B^l + 15B^m + 12B^s \leq 12000$$

$$P3 - 20C^l + 15C^m + 12C^s \leq 5000$$

Constraint 3: Sales

$$\text{Large} - A^l + B^l + C^l \leq 900$$

$$\text{Medium} - A^m + B^m + C^m \leq 1200$$

$$\text{Small} - A^s + B^s + C^s \leq 750$$

Constraint 4: Same ratio

$$A^l + A^m + A^s / 750 = B^l + B^m + B^s / 900 = C^l + C^m + C^s / 450$$