

The dual simplex method

Convert the given linear programming problem in the following form:

$$(P) \quad \begin{array}{ll} \min/\max z = C^t X + O^t s \\ \text{subject to} & AX + Is = b, \quad X, s \geq 0 \end{array}$$

Where $s = (s_1, s_2, \dots, s_m)^t$ is a vector of slack variables and $O = (0, 0, \dots, 0)_{n \times 1}$ is a vector of zeros. Also Assume that atleast one of the component b_i of the RHS vector $b = (b_1, b_2, \dots, b_m)$ is negative Initially define the following Input parameters:

1. Enter the Matrix $A = [A \ I]$, where I is an identity matrix of order m .
2. Enter the R.H.S. vector b and the cost matrix $C = [c \ O]_{(n+m) \times 1}$.
3. Define $[m, n] = \text{size}(A)$
4. Input the variables s_1, s_2, \dots, s_m as initial basic variables.

Now construct the simplex table using s_1, s_2, \dots, s_m as initial basic variables. If the simplex table depicts **an optimal but Infeasible solution**, then dual simplex method is applicable. So apply the following procedure.

1. Select the leaving variable as $X_{B_i} = \min_i \{X_{B_i} \mid X_{B_i} < 0\}$
2. Select the entering variable x_k using the formula
$$\frac{z_k - c_k}{y_{rk}} = \min_j \left\{ \frac{|z_j - c_j|}{|y_{rj}|} : y_{rj} < 0 \right\}$$
3. Now update the basis as by removing r^{th} basic variable with k^{th} nonbasic variable. Again construct the simplex table and repeat the above procedure until an optimal basic feasible solution is not obtained.

Least cost method of Transportation problem

Here a_i is the availability of the product at source S_i and b_j is the requirement of the same at destination D_j , c_{ij} represents the cost of transporting a unit product from source S_i to destination D_j . The variable x_{ij} is the quantity to be transported from the source i to destination j .

Initially define Input parameters:

1. Enter the number of sources as m , and destinations as n .
2. Enter the cost coefficients c_{ij} , the availability at i^{th} source as a_i and demand at j^{th} destination as b_j for each $i = 1, 2, \dots, m$, $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$.

Initially take $k = 1$

Step 1: Define $c_{pq} = \min(c_{ij})$, and assign $x_{pq} = \min(a_p, b_q)$, go to Step 2.

Step 2: If $\min(a_p, b_q) = a_p$, then update $b_q = b_q - a_p$, $a_p = a_p - x_{pq}$ else $\min(a_i, b_j) = b_q$, then update $a_p = a_p - b_q$, $b_q = b_q - x_{pq}$.

Step 3 Assign $c_{pq} = 10^5$ (a very large no.) , Set $k = k + 1$, if $k = m + n - 1$ go to Step 4 else go to Step 1.

Step 4: Stop and note the BFS and calculate the objective function value $z = \sum_{i,j} c_{ij}x_{ij}$

Weighted Sum Method to multi-objective LPP

Step 1: Transform the multi-objective linear programming problem (P1) into its equivalent single objective linear programming problem (P2).

(P1)

Maximize/Minimize $(C_i X)$, $i=1, 2, \dots, m$

Subject to $AX \leq$

or $=$ or \geq b $X \geq 0$.

(P1)

Maximize/Minimize $(C_1 X + C_2 X + \dots + C_m X)/m$

Subject to $AX \leq$

or $=$ or \geq b $X \geq 0$.

Step 2: Find an optimal solution of the problem i.e., an efficient solution of the problem (P1) by an appropriate method (Simplex method or Big-M method or Two-Phase method).

Algorithm of Fibonacci Search Technique

Step 1: Using the relation, Measure of effectiveness $= \frac{\text{Interval of uncertainty}}{L_0}$, find the value of Measure of effectiveness.

Step 2: Using the relation $\frac{1}{F_n} \leq$ Obtained value of measure of effectiveness, find the smallest natural number n .

Step 3: Store the given interval $[a, b]$

Step 3: Find $L_0 = b - a$

Step 4: for $i = n$, find

$$x_1 = a + \frac{F_{i-2}}{F_i} L_0, \text{ and } x_2 = a + \frac{F_{i-1}}{F_i} L_0,$$

Step 5: If $f(x_1) > f(x_2)$ and the problem is of minimum. Then, repeat Step 3 with $n = n - 1$, $a = x_1$ and $b = b$

If $f(x_1) < f(x_2)$ and the problem is of minimum. Then, repeat Step 3 with $n = n - 1$, $a = a$ and $b = x_2$.

If $f(x_1) > f(x_2)$ and the problem is of maximum. Then, repeat Step 3 with $n = n - 1$, $a = a$ and $b = x_2$.

If $f(x_1) < f(x_2)$ and the problem is of maximum. Then, repeat Step 3 with $n = n - 1$, $a = x_1$ and $b = b$

Step 6: Repeat Step 3 to upto $i = 2$.