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1 Import of standard libraries

In [1]:

```
1 # Import required library
2 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
3 import scipy.optimize as opt
```

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2 The Linear Programming Problem

A decision has to be made on the usage of farm land for wheat and barley.

Variables:

- x_0 : area of wheat (ha)
- x_1 : area of barley (ha)

Condition based on farm size:

$$x_0 + x_1 \leq f$$

In [2]:

```
1 farm_size=40 # ha
```

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Production costs:

- Wheat: c_w (€/ha)
- Barley: c_b (€/ha)

Condition based on available reserves:

$$c_w x_0 + c_b x_1 \leq R$$

In [3]:

```
1 cost_wheat=1360 # €/ha    1350
2 cost_barley=1150 # €/ha    1150
3 reserves=50000 # €
```

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Optimize margin (without labour cost)

In [4]:

```
1 price_wheat=170 # €/t
2 yield_wheat=10 # t/ha
3 price_wheat_straw=243 # €/ha
4 income_wheat=price_wheat*yield_wheat+price_wheat_straw # €/ha
5
6 price_barley=160 # €/t
7 yield_barley=9 # t/ha
8 price_barley_straw=300 # €/ha
9 income_barley=price_barley*yield_barley+price_barley_straw # €/ha
```

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```
In [5]: 1 # Input parameters and bounds
2 A = [[1,1], [cost_wheat, cost_barley]]
3 b = [farm_size, reserves]
4 c = [-income_wheat, -income_barley]
5 limits=((0, farm_size), (0, farm_size))
```

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```
In [6]: 1 # Run the model
2 res = opt.linprog(c, A, b, bounds=limits, method='simplex')
```

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```
In [7]: 1 # Get results
2 res
```

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```
Out[7]:      con: array([], dtype=float64)
      fun: -73466.66666666667
      message: 'Optimization terminated successfully.'
      nit: 5
      slack: array([0., 0.])
      status: 0
      success: True
      x: array([19.04761905, 20.95238095])
```

```
In [8]: 1 # Access each variable x1 and x2
2 x0 = res.x[0]
3 x1 = res.x[1]
4 (x0, x1)
```

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```
Out[8]: (19.047619047619055, 20.952380952380945)
```

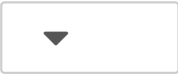
```
In [9]: 1 opt_val = int(res.fun)
2 opt_val
```

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```
Out[9]: -73466
```



3 Graphical Illustration



3.1 Utilities

$$a_{i,0}x + a_{i,1}y \leq b_i \text{ implies } y \leq \frac{b_i - a_{i,0}x}{a_{i,1}}$$

In [10]:

```
1 def line(A,b,i,x):
2     return (b[i]-A[i][0]*x)/A[i][1]
```

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$$c_0 x + c_1 y = g \text{ implies } y = \frac{g - c_0 x}{c_1}$$

In [11]:

```
1 def grad(c,g,x):
2     return (g-c[0]*x)/c[1]
```

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In [12]:

```

1 def MIN(a, b):
2     return b if a==None else a if b==None else min(a,b)
3
4 def MAX(a, b):
5     return b if a==None else a if b==None else max(a,b)
6
7 def plot_linopt(A, b, c, bounds, res,
8                 borders=None, dx=5, dy=5,
9                 title=None, labels=None,
10                solution=None, legend=None, output=False):
11
12     ax=plt.axes()
13     ax.grid(True)
14
15     if borders==None:
16         borders=[(res.x[0]-dx, res.x[0]+dx),
17                  (res.x[1]-dx, res.x[1]+dx)]

```

```

17         (res.x[1]-dy, res.x[1]+dy))
18
19     # set drawing region (xmin, xmax) (ymin, ymax)
20     xmin = borders[0][0]
21     xmax = borders[0][1]
22     ymin = borders[1][0]
23     ymax = borders[1][1]
24
25     ax.set_xlim((xmin,xmax))
26     ax.set_ylim((ymin,ymax))
27     if labels!=None:
28         plt.xlabel(labels[0])
29         plt.ylabel(labels[1])
30
31     if legend==None:
32         legend=[]
33         for i in range(0, len(A)):
34             legend+=['Constraint '+str(i)]
35
36     if solution==None:
37         solution='Solution'
38
39
40
41     # compute visual bounds (drawing limits if there is no bound)
42     xleft = MAX(bounds[0][0], borders[0][0])
43     xright = MIN(bounds[0][1], borders[0][1])
44     ybottom = MAX(bounds[1][0], borders[1][0])
45     ytop = MIN(bounds[1][1], borders[1][1])
46
47     # plot constraints
48     x=[xmin,xmax]
49     lines=[]
50     for i in range(0, len(A)):
51         y = [line(A,b,i,xmin), line(A,b,i,xmax)]
52         l=plt.plot(x,y,label=legend[i])
53         plt.fill_between(x, y, ymin if A[i][1]>0 else ymax, alpha=0.3)
54         lines=lines+[l[0]]
55
56     # plot bounding box

```

```

57 rangex=[xleft, xright, xright, xleft, xleft]
58 rangey=[ybottom, ybottom, ytop, ytop, ybottom]
59 l=plt.plot(rangex, rangey,label='Bounds')
60 plt.fill_between(rangex, rangey, alpha=0.3)
61 lines+=l[0]
62
63 # plot optimal cost function
64 x=[xmin,xmax]
65 lopt=plt.plot(x, [grad(c,res.fun,xmin),grad(c,res.fun,xmax)],
66               color='red', label=solution)
67
68 # plot optimal solution
69 plt.plot(res.x[0],res.x[1],'ro')
70
71 if legend!=None:
72     plt.legend(handles=lines+[lopt[0]])
73
74 if title!=None:
75     plt.suptitle(title)
76
77 if output:
78     print(solution, '=', res.fun)
79     for i in range(0, len(c)):
80         print(labels[i], '=', res.x[i])

```

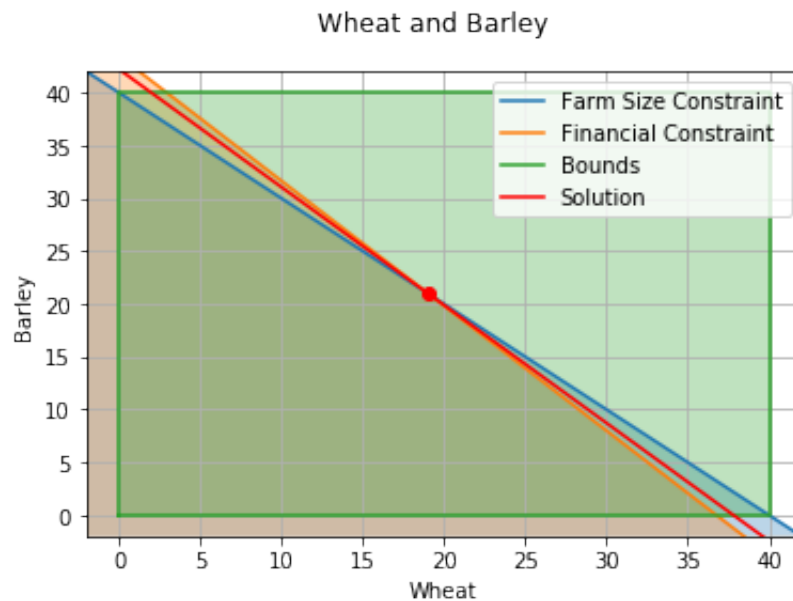
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3.2 Global Visualistion

```
In [13]: 1 # Drawing
2 # fig=plt.figure(figsize=(4,4), dpi=300)
3 plot_linopt(A, b, c, limits, res,
4             borders=[(-2, 42), (-2,42)],
5             title='Wheat and Barley',
6             labels=['Wheat', 'Barley'],
7             legend=['Farm Size Constraint',
8                   'Financial Constraint'])
```

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3.3 Visualisation around Optimal Solution

```

In [14]: 1 # Drawing
          2 # fig=plt.figure(figsize=(4,4), dpi=300)
          3 plot_linopt(A, b, c, limits, res,
          4               borders=[(18, 22), (18,22)],
          5               title='Wheat and Barley',
          6               labels=['Wheat', 'Barley'],
          7               legend=['Farm Size Constraint',
          8                     'Financial Constraint'])

```

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