

OR-lecture-11

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1. Problem 1

- (a) Show that $V_2(1) = 10$
 $C_2 = 4, D_2 = 1, H = 1$

x_2	C_2x_2	$y_1 = y + x_2 - D_2$	Hy_1	$V_1(y_1)$	$C_2x_2 + Hy_1 + V_1(y_1)$
0	0	0	0	12	12
1	4	1	1	6	11
2	8	2	2	0	10
3	12	3	3	1	16

We get the optimal solution which is 10. So the optimal solution is to produce 2 units at day 2.

- (b) Show that $V_3(4) = 8$

x_3	C_3x_3	$y_2 = y + x_3 - D_3$	Hy_2	$V_2(y_2)$	$C_3x_3 + Hy_2 + V_2(y_2)$
4	0	2	2	6	8

We have 2 unit left, and in the table we can find that $V_2(2) = 6$, so the cost is 8.

- (c) x^* is from $[0 - 4]$, and y is from $[0 - 8]$.

0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	4	3	2	1	0	0	0	0

2. Problem 4

- (a) Formulate a dynamic program
- The boundary condition: $V_0(y) = 0$ for all y .
 - The demand fulfillment constraint $x_t \geq (D_t y)^+$. Moreover, to incorporate the space limitation, all we need to do is to add a

constraint $y + x_t - D_t \leq K$ for period t to ensure that we do not produce/order too many. And with new fixed cost S we can formulate

$$\begin{aligned} \min_{x_t} \quad & V_t(y) = C_t x_t + H(y + x_t - D_t) + V_{t-1}(y + x_t - D_t) + S z_t \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & X_t \geq (D_t - y)^+ \\ & x_t \leq K + D_t - y \\ & z_t \in \{0, 1\} \end{aligned}$$

- (b) When there is a positive setup cost, if the setup cost is very high, we tend to produce at the very beginning, but if the setup cost is low, we would calculate all produce method and choose the lowest cost.