

# Bounded Preemptive Simplex with Preemptive (Priority) Goal Programming

## Thruster Geometry

Two thrusters:

$$r_1 = (0, 2, 0), \quad a_1 = (100, 0, 0), \quad r_2 = (0, -4, 0), \quad a_2 = (100, 0, 0).$$

Force map  $F = At$  and torque map  $T = Bt$ :

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 100 & 100 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ -200 & 400 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Thus, for  $t = (t_1, t_2)^T$ ,

$$F = \begin{bmatrix} 100(t_1 + t_2) \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -200t_1 + 400t_2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Throttle bounds:

$$0 \leq t_1 \leq 1, \quad 0 \leq t_2 \leq 1.$$

## Stage $P_1$ : Minimize Torque

We minimize the L1 norm of torque. Since only  $T_z$  appears, introduce deviational variables  $\tau^+, \tau^- \geq 0$ :

$$-200t_1 + 400t_2 + \tau^- - \tau^+ = 0, \quad \min z_1 = \tau^+ + \tau^-.$$

We keep variables with bounds directly in the simplex via LB/UB status tags.

## Initial $P_1$ Tableau

Make  $\tau^+$  basic:

$$\tau^+ = -200t_1 + 400t_2 + \tau^-.$$

Basic	RHS	$t_1$	$t_2$	$\tau^-$	$\tau^+$	Status
$\tau^+$	0	-200	+400	+1	1	B
$z_1$	0	<b>-200</b>	<b>+400</b>	<b>+2</b>	0	

Status at start:

$$t_1 : \text{LB } (0 \leq t_1 \leq 1), \quad t_2 : \text{LB } (0 \leq t_2 \leq 1), \quad \tau^- : \text{LB}.$$

Since  $r_{t_1} = -200 < 0$ ,  $t_1$  may enter (increase) from LB for minimization.

## Degenerate Pivot in $P_1$

Pivot on  $t_1$  entering,  $\tau^+$  leaving:

$$t_1 = 2t_2 + \frac{1}{200}\tau^- - \frac{1}{200}\tau^+.$$

Basic	RHS	$t_1$	$t_2$	$\tau^-$	$\tau^+$	Status
$t_1$	0	1	+2	$+\frac{1}{200}$	$-\frac{1}{200}$	B
$z_1$	0	0	<b>0</b>	<b>+1</b>	<b>+1</b>	

This means  $z_1 = 0$  is achieved whenever  $\tau^\pm = 0$  and

$$t_1 = 2t_2.$$

Thus  $Z_1^* = 0$  (exact torque cancellation). We *lock* this relation for  $P_2$ .

## Stage $P_2$ : Maximize Forward Force in $+x$

$$\max z_2 = 100(t_1 + t_2) \quad \text{s.t. } t_1 = 2t_2, 0 \leq t_1, t_2 \leq 1.$$

Substitute  $t_1 = 2t_2$ :

$$z_2 = 300t_2.$$

Bounds require  $2t_2 \leq 1$  and  $0 \leq t_2 \leq 1$ , so  $0 \leq t_2 \leq 0.5$ .

Treat  $t_1$  as basic;  $t_2$  as nonbasic.

## $P_2$ Tableau A (start)

Variable	Value	Status
$t_2$	0.0	LB ([0, 0.5])
$t_1$	0.0	B ( $t_1 = 2t_2$ )
$z_2$		reduced cost of $t_2$ : <b>+300</b>

Since  $r_{t_2} > 0$  and  $t_2$  is at LB, we increase  $t_2$ .

## Bounded Ratio (Preemptive) in $P_2$

Equality  $t_1 = 2t_2$  does not limit  $t_2$ , but  $t_1 \leq 1$  gives

$$2t_2 \leq 1 \Rightarrow t_2 \leq 0.5.$$

Opposite-bound distance:  $0.5 - 0 = 0.5$ .

Thus: *preemptive bound hit* (no pivot).

## $P_2$ Tableau B (after UB hit)

Variable	Value	Status
$t_2$	0.5	UB ([0, 0.5])
$t_1$	1.0	B ( $t_1 = 2t_2$ )
$z_2$	150	

## Optimality

A nonbasic at UB can only improve a maximization by *decreasing* if  $r_j < 0$ . Here  $r_{t_2} = +300 > 0$ , so decreasing  $t_2$  lowers  $z_2$ . No other candidates.

Optimal for  $P_2$  while  $P_1$  remains locked.

## Final Solution

$$t_1 = 1.0, \quad t_2 = 0.5, \quad F = (150, 0, 0), \quad T = (0, 0, 0).$$