## 4CCS1IAI – Introduction to Artificial Intelligence, 2015/16 Coursework 2 Medicine Home Delivery

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## I. Problem Description

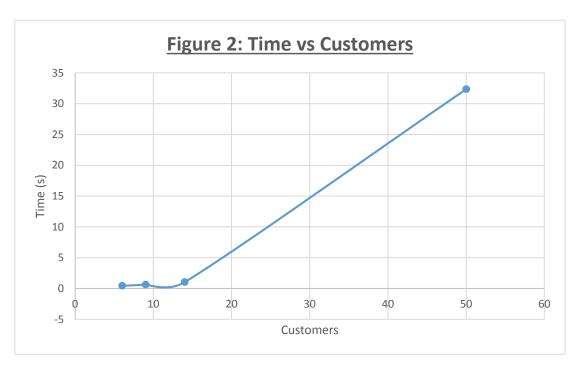
Based upon the domain provided in Coursework 1, this report will analyse the results received in running several different problems using Optic for Windows planner. Starting with a number of 9 customers – thus, 9 orders – we have gradually increased the number of customers. For the fourth problem, we have drastically increased this number to 50, in order to observe any difficulty for the planner to run the problem whilst keeping the problem realistic. Ultimately, Optic did not crash, suggesting that a further realistic increase in customers is possible.

Figure 1 displays the results of these 4 problems in terms of the time it took to calculate, the number of states analysed, and the cost.

Figure 1: Table showing Results according to Literals

	Problem 1	Problem 2	Problem 3	Problem 4
Number of	6	9	14	50
customers/orders				
Time	0.45	0.63	1.04	32.35
States	91	151	260	1868
Cost	405.047	690.514	825.519	3192.755

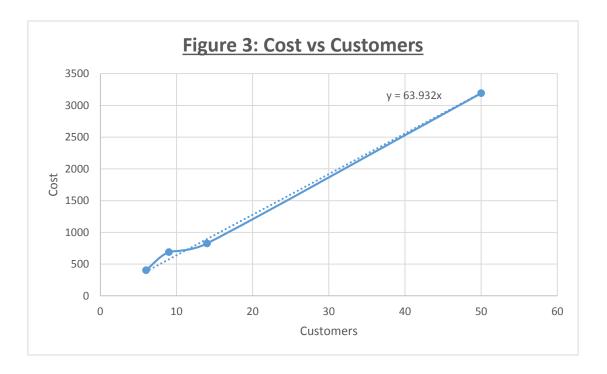
II. Problem Analysis



The graph above is represented by a x axis displaying the size of the domain as the quantity of visited customers and a y axis showing the required time to solve the problem in seconds. With the growing number of customers, the travelling time increases. The higher the number of customers, the faster the time increases. Indeed, doubling the number of customers from 10 to 20 results in an increase of slightly under 5s. Yet, doubling the number of customers from 25 to 50 results in an increase of over 10. This shows how the higher the number of orders or customers, the longer it will take to solve to the problem.

## *Note!* The time required to charge the drone is included in the travelling time.

The reason for the time increasing at different rates is due to the different time that is needed to reach the customers, as well as the increase in the possible states to visit. This presents the problem in a more realistic way.



This graph presents the energy needed as the cost against the number of customers that the drone has visited. Slight fluctuations are being observed as the energy levels additionally depend on the weight of each order. With the increase of the weight, the energy depletion process takes less time. As shown by the trend line, the relation between those two values is proportional (linear trend line, passing through origin (0,0)). Hence, if we double the number of customers, we double the cost.

III. Appendix

Since each problem results in adding new customers upon the previous one, only the PDDL for the problem is shown.

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  (:domain drones-delivery)
  (:objects
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   customer19 customer20 customer21 customer22 customer23 customer24
   customer25 customer26 customer27 customer28 customer29 customer30
   customer31 customer32 customer33 customer34 customer35 customer36
   customer37 customer37 customer38 customer39 customer40 customer41
   customer42 customer43 customer44 customer45 customer46 customer47
   customer48 customer49 customer50 - Customer
   order1 order2 order3 order4 order5 order6 order7 order8 order9
   order10 order11 order12 order13 order14 order15 order16 order17
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   order26 order27 order28 order29 order30 order31 order32 order33
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   order42 order43 order44 order45 order46 order47 order48 order49
   order50 - Order
   drone1 - Drone
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