

Assignment

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The objective function is

$$\text{Max } Z = P - 6C - 3D$$

where P = total (discounted) profit over the life of the new products,

C = change (in either direction) in the current level of employment,

D = decrease (if any) in next year's earnings from the current year's level.

#TABLE FORMUATION

```
tab<- matrix(c("Total Profit", "Employment Level", "Earnings Next Year",
               20,6,8,
               15,4,7,
               25,5,5,
               "Maximize","=50",">=75"),ncol=5, byrow = F)

colnames(tab) <- c('Factor', 'Product1','Product2','Product3','Goal')
tab
```

##	Factor	Product1	Product2	Product3	Goal
## [1,]	"Total Profit"	"20"	"15"	"25"	"Maximize"
## [2,]	"Employment Level"	"6"	"4"	"5"	"=50"
## [3,]	"Earnings Next Year"	"8"	"7"	"5"	">=75"

1,2) Defining $x_1, x_2, x_3, y_{1p}, y_{1m}, y_{2p}, y_{2m}$

Let x_1, x_2 and x_3 be the number of products produced for Product 1,2 and 3

y_{1p} = Positive deviation or per unit increase in employment level

y_{1m} = negative deviation or per unit decrease in employment level

y_{2p} = Positive deviation or per unit increase in goal regarding earnings next year

y_{2m} = negative deviation or per unit decrease in goal regarding earnings next year

Emax Corporation wants to maximize profit which is given by the equation

$$P = 20x_1 + 15x_2 + 25x_3$$

while maintaining employment level as 50 employees and increasing next year earnings above 75 million dollars

Formulating constraints with above conditions we get

$$\text{Employment level constraint : } y_{1p} - y_{1m} = 6x_1 + 4x_2 + 5x_3 - 50 \text{ (C)}$$

Earnings next year constraint : $y_{2p} - y_{2m} = 8x_1 + 7x_2 + 5x_3 - 75$ (D)

Objective function considering all constraints is as follows :

Maximize: $20x_1 + 15x_2 + 25x_3 - 6y_{1m} - 6y_{1p} - 3y_{2m}$

Constraints:

$$6x_1 + 4x_2 + 5x_3 + y_{1m} - y_{1p} = 50$$

$$8x_1 + 7x_2 + 5x_3 + y_{2m} - y_{2p} = 75$$

3. Formulating and solving the linear programming model

```
library(lpSolveAPI)
data<- read.lp("Emax Corporation.lp")
data
```

```
## Model name:
##           x1    x2    x3    y1m    y1p    y2m    y2p
## Maximize  20    15    25     -6     -6     -3     0
## R1        6     4     5      1     -1      0      0  =  50
## R2        8     7     5      0      0      1     -1  =  75
## Kind      Std   Std   Std   Std   Std   Std   Std
## Type      Real  Real  Real  Real  Real  Real  Real
## Upper     Inf   Inf   Inf   Inf   Inf   Inf   Inf
## Lower      0    0    0    0    0    0    0
```

Solving

```
solve(data)
```

```
## [1] 0
```

```
get.objective(data)
```

```
## [1] 225
```

```
get.variables(data)
```

```
## [1] 0 0 15 0 25 0 0
```

Interpretation

The profit which is the objective function in our problem is 225 million dollars.

The constraint values are:

$$x_1=0, x_2=0, x_3=15, y_{1m}=0, y_{1p}=25, y_{2m}=0, y_{2p}=0$$

From the above values of the constraints, we can see that $x_1=0$ and $x_2=0$ which means increase in the number of units produced for product 1 and product 2 will not have any significant effect in total profit maximization, whereas increase in the number of units produced in product 3 by 15 can help in contributing to maximize the profit.

The employment level was to be maintained to 50 employees. Here, $y_1p=25$ indicating positive deviation which means increase in employment level by 25 hundred employees. This will have an impact on decreasing the profit.

The next year earnings can be calculated by estimating values of y_2m and y_2p . Here, both the values are 0, which means there is no increase or decrease in the next year earnings