

# GAMS:Data Exchange, Operators

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# Data Exchange with Application

- ▶ Text file
- ▶ Microsoft Excel
- ▶ Database

# Read Data with Text Files

The `$include` compile time command is used to instruct the GAMS compiler to include the context of a different file at the current position of the input stream. (usually in ASCII format: Be careful about Turkish Characters!).

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```
$include food_info.txt;
```

# Read Data with Text Files .csv

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\$ondelim

\$include food\_info.csv

\$offdelim ;

# Write Results to Text Files

The \$ondelim command only enables the use of commas as a separation symbol! File results / results.txt /;

```
put results;
```

```
put "Model status", diet.modelstat /;
```

```
put "Cost", z.l /;
```

```
put "Decision variables" /;
```

```
loop((i),
```

```
put x.l(i)," number of food " i.tl, " eaten daily" /);
```

```
putclose;
```

# Data Exchange with GDX

A GDX file is a file that stores the values of one or more GAMS symbols such as sets, parameters variables and equations. GDX files can be used to prepare data for a GAMS model, present results of a GAMS model, store results of the same model using different parameters etc.

# Scalar

Single (scalar) data entry.

```
Scalar c /10/;
```

or

```
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```

```
c=10
```

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G e n e r a l A l g e b r a i c M o d e l i n g S y s t e m  
E x e c u t i o n

---- 4 PARAMETER s = 34.000

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Execution

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1987	1.000,	1988	2.000,	1989	3.000,	1990	4.000,	1991	5.000,	1992	6.000,	1993	7.000,	1994	8.000,
2003	17.000,	2004	18.000,	2005	19.000,	2006	20.000,	2007	21.000,	2008	22.000,	2009	23.000,	2010	24.000,
2019	33.000,	2020	34.000												

# Lag and Lead Operators

Operation	Symbol	Description
Linear Lag	$t - n$	Refers to the element of the ordered set whose relative position in the set is $\text{ord}(t) - n$ .
Linear Lead	$t + n$	Refers to the element of the ordered set whose relative position in the set is $\text{ord}(t) + n$ .
Circular Lag	$t -- n$	Same as $t - n$ , only here the first element of the set is assumed to be preceded by the last element of the set.
Circular Lead	$t ++ n$	Same as $t + n$ , only here the last element of the set is assumed to be followed by the first element of the set.

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```
1 Set      t           "time sequence" / y-1987*y-1991 /;  
2 Parameter a(t), b(t);  
3 a(t) = 1986 + ord(t);  
4 b(t) = 0;  
5 b(t) = a(t+1);  
6 scalar c;  
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General Algebraic Modeling System  
Execution

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• y-1987 1987.000, y-1988 1988.000, y-1989 1989.000, y-1990 1990.000, :

---- 8 PARAMETER b

y-1987 1988.000, y-1988 1989.000, y-1989 1990.000, y-1990 1991.000

# Conditional Expressions and Assignments

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*if* ( $b > 1.5$ ), then  $a = 2$  else  $a=0$ ;

$a = 2\$ (b > 1.5)$ ;



# Conditional Expressions Numerical Relational Order

The operator  $\$$  may be read as under the condition that the following logical condition evaluates to *TRUE* (or is unequal 0).

Relation	Operator	Alternative Notation	Return Values
Strictly less than	$x < y$	$x \text{ lt } y$	Returns <i>TRUE</i> if $x < y$ , else returns <i>FALSE</i> .
Less than or equal to	$x \leq y$	$x \text{ le } y$	Returns <i>TRUE</i> if $x \leq y$ , else returns <i>FALSE</i> .
Equal to	$x = y$	$x \text{ eq } y$	Returns <i>TRUE</i> if $x = y$ , else returns <i>FALSE</i> .
Not equal to	$x \neq y$	$x \text{ ne } y$	Returns <i>TRUE</i> if $x \neq y$ , else returns <i>FALSE</i> .
Greater than or equal to	$x \geq y$	$x \text{ ge } y$	Returns <i>TRUE</i> if $x \geq y$ , else returns <i>FALSE</i> .
Strictly greater than	$x > y$	$x \text{ gt } y$	Returns <i>TRUE</i> if $x > y$ , else returns <i>FALSE</i> .

# Conditional Expressions Logical Conditions

The operator  $\$$  may be read as under the condition that the following logical condition evaluates to TRUE (or is unequal 0).

Operation	Operator	Alternative Notation	Description
Negation	not x		The logical condition x has to be FALSE, in order for the expression to be TRUE.
Logical conjunction	x and y		Two logical conditions are TRUE simultaneously.
Logical disjunction	x or y		At least one of two logical conditions applies.
Exclusive disjunction	x xor y		Exactly one of two logical conditions applies.
Logical implication	x imp y	x $\rightarrow$ y	If the logical condition x is TRUE but at the same time the logical condition y is FALSE, then the whole expression is FALSE, in other cases the expression evaluates to TRUE.
Logical equivalence	x eqv y	x $\leftrightarrow$ y	Both logical conditions are either TRUE simultaneously or FALSE simultaneously for the whole expression to be TRUE.

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constraint(i)\$ (ord(i)>1).. y(i)=g=x(i);

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constraint.. a=e=sum(i\$(ord(i)<card(i)),x(i))

# Assignment to Decision Variables

A fixed value for the variable.  $x_0 = 20$

`x.fx('0')=20;`

## Example: An Inventory Model

XYZ company must determine how many trucks should be produced during each of the next four months. The demands are the following: 20 trucks in April, 10 trucks in May, 30 trucks in June, 50 trucks in July. XYZ company must meet demands on time. At the beginning of April, the company has an inventory of 2 trucks. At the beginning of each month, XYZ must decide how many trucks should be produced during that month. For simplicity, we assume that trucks manufactured during a quarter can be used to meet the demand for that quarter. XYZ can produce up to 30 trucks monthly. The production cost of a truck is 540000 TL. At the end of each month (after production has occurred and the current month's demand has been satisfied), a holding cost of 12000 TL per truck is incurred. Use linear programming to determine a production schedule to minimize the sum of production and inventory costs during the next four months.



# Example: An Inventory Model

*Sets:*

$T = \{\text{April}, \text{May}, \text{June}, \text{July}\}$  months

*Parameters:*

$a = 12000$  holding cost

$b = 540000$  production cost

$c = 30$  upper limit for production

$d_t$ : of trucks demand in month  $t$

$$d = \begin{bmatrix} 20 \\ 10 \\ 30 \\ 50 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Decision variables  $x_t$ : of trucks produced in month  $t$

$s_t$ : of trucks in inventory of month  $t$

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$$\text{Min} z = \sum_{t=1}^4 a s_t + b x_t$$

s.t

$$s_t = s_{t-1} + x_t - d_t, \quad \forall t, \quad t = \overline{1, 4}$$

$$s_{t-1} + x_t \geq d_t, \quad \forall t, \quad t = \overline{1, 4}$$

$$x_t \leq c, \quad \forall t, \quad t = \overline{1, 4}$$

$$s_0 = 20$$

$$x_t, s_t \geq 0, \quad \forall t, t = \overline{1, 4}$$

# Example: An inventory model

Write GAMS code of this model by using following set:

Set t period /April,May, June, July/;

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Write GAMS code of this model by using following set:

Set t period /March, April, May, June, July/;