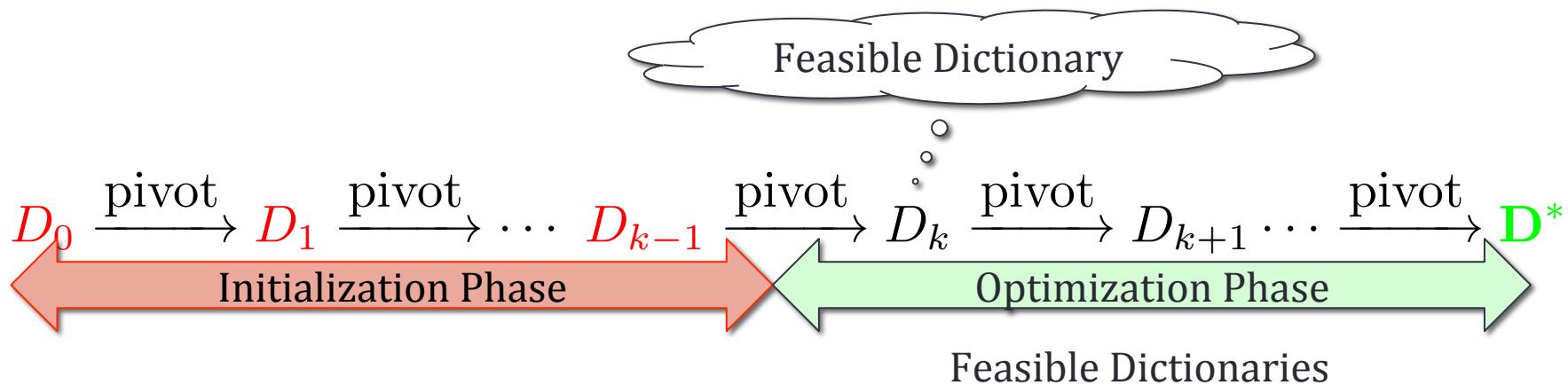


SIMPLEX METHOD: INITIALIZATION PHASE

How to find a feasible point using Simplex.

Simplex Algorithm



Initial Dictionary

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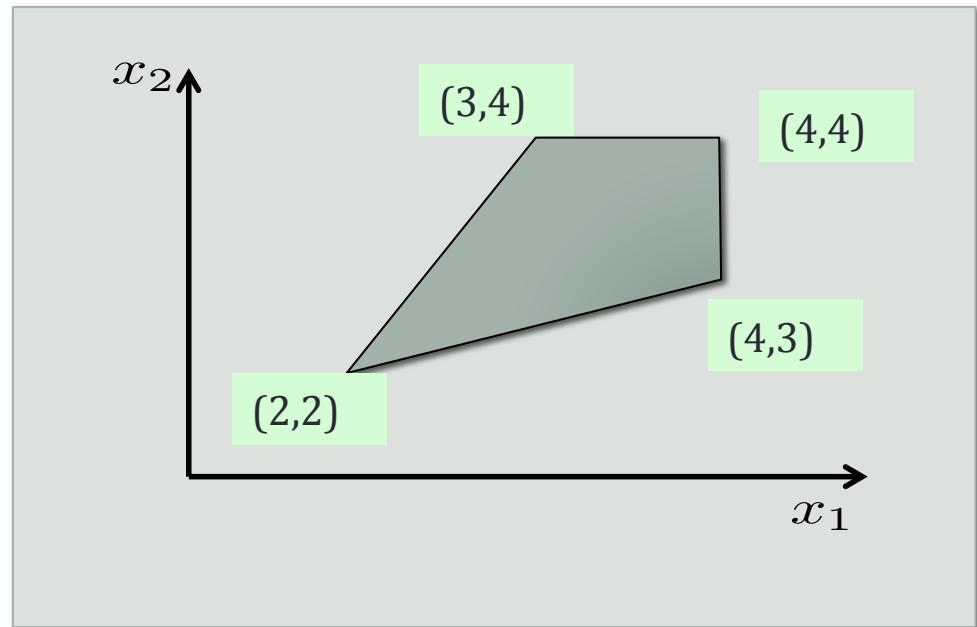


Feasible?

$$\frac{\mathbf{x}_s}{z} = \frac{\mathbf{b} - A\mathbf{x}}{0 + \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x}}$$

Example

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Step 1: Adding Slack

$$\begin{array}{lllll} \text{max.} & x_1 + 2x_2 & & & \\ \text{s.t.} & -2x_1 + x_2 + x_3 & = & -2 & \\ & x_2 + x_4 & = & 4 & \\ & x_1 - 2x_2 + x_5 & = & -2 & \\ & x_1 + x_6 & = & 4 & \\ & x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_6 & \geq & 0 & \end{array}$$

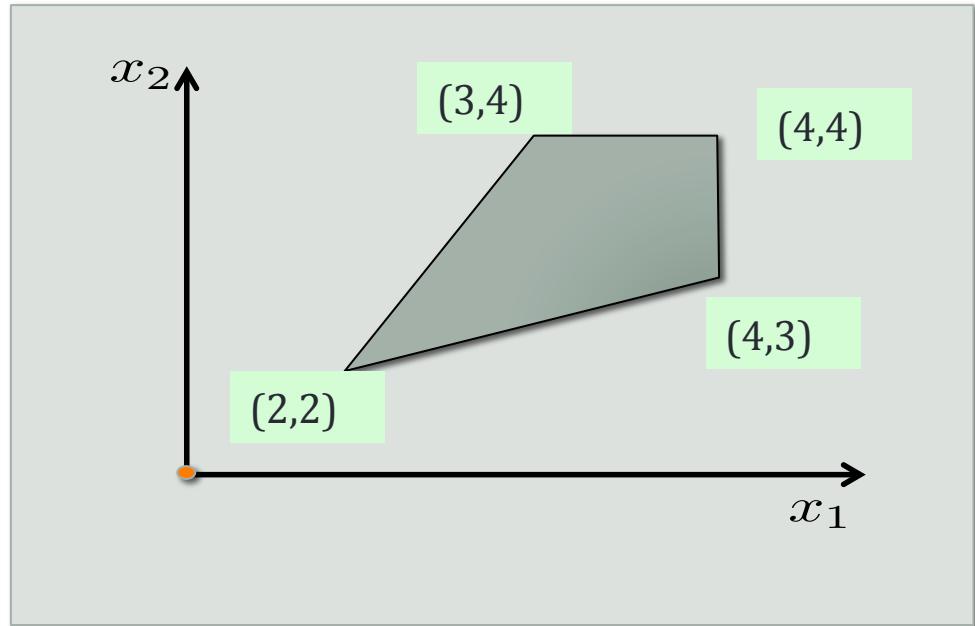
Step 2: Initial Dictionary

$$\begin{array}{lllll} \text{max.} & x_1 + 2x_2 \\ \text{s.t.} & -2x_1 + x_2 + \textcolor{red}{x}_3 & = & -2 \\ & x_2 + \textcolor{red}{x}_4 & = & 4 \\ & x_1 - 2x_2 + \textcolor{red}{x}_5 & = & -2 \\ & x_1 + \textcolor{red}{x}_6 & = & 4 \\ & x_1, x_2, \textcolor{red}{x}_3, \dots, x_6 & \geq & 0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{rclcrcl} x_3 & = & \textcolor{red}{-2} & +2x_1 & -x_2 \\ x_4 & = & 4 & +0x_1 & -x_2 \\ x_5 & = & \textcolor{red}{-2} & -x_1 & +2x_2 \\ \hline x_6 & = & 4 & -x_1 & +0x_2 \\ \hline z & = & 0 & +x_1 & +2x_2 \end{array}$$

Infeasible Initial Dictionary

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x_3 & = & -2 + 2x_1 - x_2 \\ x_4 & = & 4 + 0x_1 - x_2 \\ x_5 & = & -2 - x_1 + 2x_2 \\ x_6 & = & 4 - x_1 + 0x_2 \\ \hline z & = & 0 + x_1 + 2x_2 \end{array}$$



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CONSTRUCTING THE AUXILIARY PROBLEM

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Feasibility of Aux. Problem

$$\begin{array}{lllll} \text{s.t.} & -2x_1 & +x_2 & +x_3 & = -2 + x_0 \\ & & x_2 & +x_4 & = 4 + x_0 \\ & x_1 & -2x_2 & +x_5 & = -2 + x_0 \\ & x_1 & & +x_6 & = 4 + x_0 \\ & x_1, \dots, x_6, x_0 & \geq & & 0 \end{array}$$

Claim: Aux. Problem is Feasible.

If Original Problem is Feasible?

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 \end{array}$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} x_1 : 2, x_2 : 2, \\ x_3 : 0, x_4 : 2, x_5 : 0, x_6 : 2 \end{array} \right) \quad \textcolor{red}{x}_0 = 0$$

If Original Problem is Infeasible?

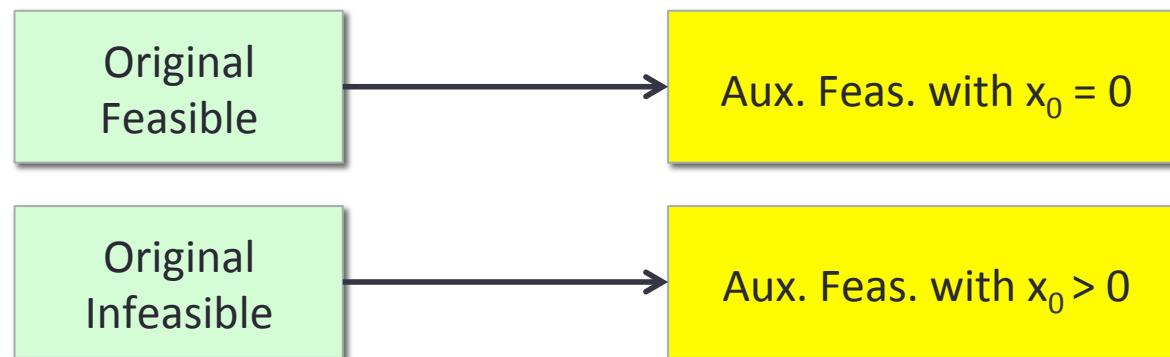
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No Solution.

Auxiliary Problem

- Add fresh variable x_0
- Aux. Problem is always feasible.



AUXILLIARY PROBLEM

Same as min. x_0

$$\max \quad -x_0$$

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$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}, \quad x_0 = -\min(\mathbf{b}, \mathbf{0}), \quad x_s = \mathbf{b} + x_0 \mathbf{1}$$

Initialization Phase Simplex

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INITIALIZATION PHASE SIMPLEX

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Initialization Phase Simplex

1. How to form initial dictionary for Aux. Problem?
2. How to perform pivoting?
 - Minor modifications.
3. How to find initial dictionary for original problem?

Initial Dictionary For Aux Problem.

$$\begin{array}{lll} \max & -x_0 \\ \text{s.t.} & Ax + \mathbf{x_s} - x_0 \mathbf{1} = b \\ & \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x_s}, x_0 \geq 0 \end{array}$$



$$\frac{\mathbf{x_s}}{z} = \frac{b}{0} + \frac{1}{-x_0} x_0 - \frac{A}{-x_0} \mathbf{x}$$

Special Move:

Entering Variable is x_0

Leaving variable is the variable with least value of b

Initial Dictionary For Aux. Problem

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x_{B1} & = & b_1 + 1x_0 + a_{11}x_{I1} + \cdots + a_{1n}x_{In} \\ x_{B2} & = & b_2 + 1x_0 + a_{21}x_{I1} + \cdots + a_{2n}x_{In} \\ & \vdots & \\ \mathbf{x}_{Bj} & = & \mathbf{b}_j + 1x_0 + \mathbf{a}_{j1}\mathbf{x}_{I1} + \cdots + \mathbf{a}_{jn}\mathbf{x}_{In} \\ & \vdots & \\ x_{Bm} & = & b_m + 1x_0 + a_{m1}x_{I1} + \cdots + a_{mn}x_{In} \\ \hline z & = & 0 - x_0 \end{array}$$

$$b_j = \min(b_1, \dots, b_m)$$

Example

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x0 is entering
x3 or x5 is leaving.

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x_3 & = & -2 + x_0 + 2x_1 - x_2 \\ x_4 & = & 4 + x_0 + 0x_1 - x_2 \\ x_5 & = & -2 + x_0 - x_1 + 2x_2 \\ x_6 & = & 4 + x_0 - x_1 + 0x_2 \\ \hline w & = & 0 - x_0 \end{array}$$

Example (Cont.)

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x0 is entering
x3 is leaving.

$$\begin{array}{rcccccc} x_0 & = & 2 & +x_3 & -2x_1 & +x_2 \\ x_4 & = & 6 & +x_3 & -2x_1 & +0x_2 \\ x_5 & = & 0 & +x_3 & -3x_1 & +3x_2 \\ x_6 & = & 6 & +x_3 & -3x_1 & +x_2 \\ \hline w & = & -2 & -x_3 & +2x_1 & -x_2 \end{array}$$

Claim

For initial aux. dictionary

1. Choose x_0 as entering variable.
2. Choose basic variable x_j with least value of b_j as leaving.

The resulting dictionary is always feasible.

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x1 enters + x5 leaves

$$\begin{array}{rcccccc} x_1 & = & 0 & +\frac{1}{3}x_3 & -\frac{1}{3}x_5 & +x_2 \\ x_0 & = & 2 & +\frac{1}{3}x_3 & +\frac{2}{3}x_5 & -x_2 \\ x_4 & = & 6 & +\frac{1}{3}x_3 & +\frac{2}{3}x_5 & -2x_2 \\ x_6 & = & 6 & +0x_3 & -x_5 & -2x_2 \\ \hline w & = & -2 & -\frac{1}{3}x_3 & -\frac{2}{3}x_5 & +x_2 \end{array}$$

Example (Cont)

$$\begin{array}{rcccccc} x_1 & = & 0 & +\frac{1}{3}x_3 & -\frac{1}{3}x_5 & +x_2 \\ x_0 & = & 2 & +\frac{1}{3}x_3 & +\frac{2}{3}x_5 & -x_2 \\ x_4 & = & 6 & +\frac{1}{3}x_3 & +\frac{2}{3}x_5 & -2x_2 \\ x_6 & = & 6 & +0x_3 & -x_5 & -2x_2 \\ \hline w & = & -2 & -\frac{1}{3}x_3 & -\frac{2}{3}x_5 & +x_2 \end{array}$$

x_2 enters and
 x_0 leaves



$$\begin{array}{rcccccc} x_1 & = & 2 & +\frac{2}{3}x_3 & +\frac{1}{3}x_5 & -x_0 \\ x_2 & = & 2 & +\frac{1}{3}x_3 & +\frac{2}{3}x_5 & -x_0 \\ x_4 & = & 2 & -\frac{1}{3}x_3 & -\frac{2}{3}x_5 & +2x_0 \\ x_6 & = & 2 & -\frac{2}{3}x_3 & +\frac{4}{3}x_5 & +2x_0 \\ \hline w & = & 0 & +0x_3 & +0x_5 & -x_0 \end{array}$$

Finding Initial Dictionary (Orig. Problem)

$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 x_1 & = & 2 + \frac{2}{3}x_3 + \frac{1}{3}x_5 - x_0 \\
 x_2 & = & 2 + \frac{1}{3}x_3 + \frac{2}{3}x_5 - x_0 \\
 x_4 & = & 2 - \frac{1}{3}x_3 - \frac{2}{3}x_5 + 2x_0 \\
 x_6 & = & 2 - \frac{2}{3}x_3 + \frac{4}{3}x_5 + 2x_0 \\
 w & = & 0 + 0x_3 + 0x_5 - x_0
 \end{array}$$

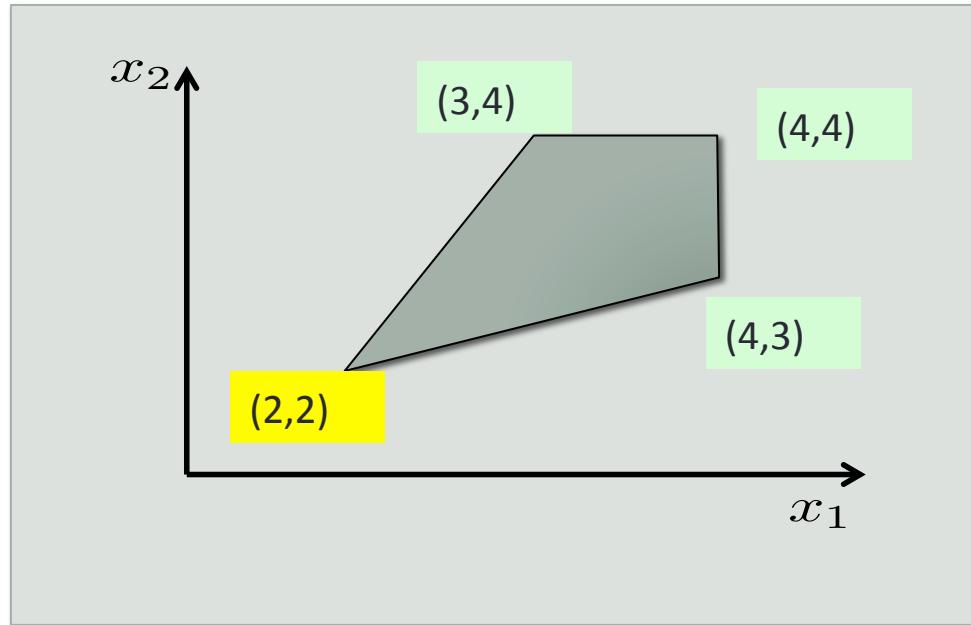
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$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 x_1 & = & 2 + \frac{2}{3}x_3 + \frac{1}{3}x_5 \\
 x_2 & = & 2 + \frac{1}{3}x_3 + \frac{2}{3}x_5 \\
 x_4 & = & 2 - \frac{1}{3}x_3 - \frac{2}{3}x_5 \\
 x_6 & = & 2 - \frac{2}{3}x_3 + \frac{4}{3}x_5 \\
 \\ \hline
 z & = &
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 z &= x_1 + 2x_2 \\
 &= (2 + \frac{2}{3}x_3 + \frac{1}{3}x_5) + 2(2 + \frac{1}{3}x_3 + \frac{2}{3}x_5) \\
 &= 6 + \frac{4}{3}x_3 + \frac{5}{3}x_5
 \end{aligned}$$

Initial Dictionary

$$\begin{array}{rclcl} x_1 & = & 2 & + \frac{2}{3}x_3 & + \frac{1}{3}x_5 \\ x_2 & = & 2 & + \frac{1}{3}x_3 & + \frac{2}{3}x_5 \\ x_4 & = & 2 & - \frac{1}{3}x_3 & - \frac{2}{3}x_5 \\ x_6 & = & 2 & - \frac{2}{3}x_3 & + \frac{4}{3}x_5 \\ \hline z & = & 6 & + \frac{4}{3}x_3 & + \frac{5}{3}x_5 \end{array}$$



Initialization Phase Simplex

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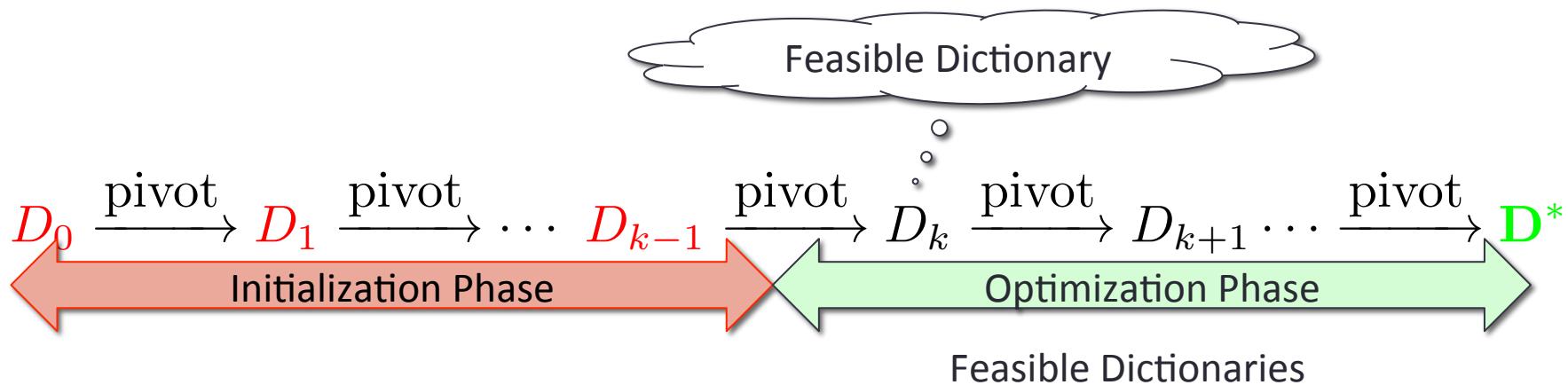


If opt. value < 0 then problem infeasible.

Non-Standard Pivots

- At the first step:
 - x_0 is entering.
 - Variable with least b_j is leaving.
- During initialization phase:
 - Whenever x_0 can be a leaving variable: we preferentially choose it.
- **Fact:** If x_0 is a leaving variable
 - then next dictionary has to be final.

Simplex Algorithm



EXAMPLE OF INFEASIBLE PROBLEM.

Example

$$\begin{array}{lllllll} \max & x_1 & +2x_2 & -x_3 & & & \\ \text{s.t.} & x_1 & -x_2 & & & \leq & 5 \\ & & x_2 & +x_3 & & \leq & 14 \\ & -x_1 & & +x_3 & & \leq & -6 \\ & & & -x_3 & & \leq & -7 \end{array}$$

Initial Dictionary

$$\begin{array}{llllll}
 \max & x_1 & +2x_2 & -x_3 & & \\
 \text{s.t.} & x_1 & -x_2 & & \leq & 5 \\
 & & x_2 & +x_3 & \leq & 14 \\
 & -x_1 & & +x_3 & \leq & -6 \\
 & & & -x_3 & \leq & -7
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 x_4 & = & 5 -x_1 +x_2 \\
 x_5 & = & 14 -x_2 -x_3 \\
 x_6 & = & -6 +x_1 -x_3 \\
 x_7 & = & -7 +x_3 \\
 \hline
 z & = & 0 +x_1 +2x_2 -x_3
 \end{array}$$

Auxiliary Problem

$$\max -x_0$$

$$\text{s.t. } x_1 - x_2 \leq 5 + x_0$$

$$x_2 + x_3 \leq 14 + x_0$$

$$-x_1 + x_3 \leq -6 + x_0$$

$$-x_3 \leq -7 + x_0$$

Aux. Problem (Initial Dictionary)

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x_4 & = & 5 + x_0 - x_1 + x_2 \\ x_5 & = & 14 + x_0 \quad -x_2 - x_3 \\ x_6 & = & -6 + x_0 + x_1 \quad -x_3 \\ x_7 & = & -7 + x_0 \quad \quad \quad +x_3 \\ \hline w & = & 0 - x_0 \end{array}$$

x_0 enters and x_7 leaves!

Dictionary D1

$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 x_4 & = & 5 + x_0 - x_1 + x_2 \\
 x_5 & = & 14 + x_0 \quad -x_2 - x_3 \\
 x_6 & = & -6 + x_0 + x_1 \quad -x_3 \\
 x_7 & = & -7 + x_0 \quad + x_3 \\
 \hline
 w & = & 0 - x_0
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 x_0 & = & 7 + x_7 \quad -x_3 \\
 x_4 & = & 12 + x_7 - x_1 + x_2 - x_3 \\
 x_5 & = & 21 + x_7 \quad -x_2 - 2x_3 \\
 x_6 & = & 1 + x_7 + x_1 \quad -2x_3 \\
 \hline
 w & = & -7 - x_7 \quad + x_3
 \end{array}$$

x_3 enters and x_6 leaves

Dictionary D2

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x_3 & = & \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}x_7 + \frac{1}{2}x_1 - \frac{1}{2}x_6 \\ x_0 & = & \frac{13}{2} + \frac{1}{2}x_7 - \frac{1}{2}x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_6 \\ x_4 & = & \frac{23}{2} + \frac{1}{2}x_7 - \frac{3}{2}x_1 + x_2 + \frac{1}{2}x_6 \\ x_5 & = & 20 - x_1 - x_2 + x_6 \\ \hline w & = & -\frac{13}{2} - \frac{1}{2}x_7 + \frac{1}{2}x_1 - \frac{1}{2}x_6 \end{array}$$

x_1 enters and x_4 leaves

Dictionary D3

$$\begin{array}{rcllllll} x_1 & = & \frac{23}{3} & + \frac{1}{3}x_7 & - \frac{2}{3}x_4 & + \frac{2}{3}x_2 & + \frac{1}{3}x_6 \\ x_0 & = & \frac{8}{3} & + \frac{1}{3}x_7 & + \frac{1}{3}x_4 & - \frac{1}{3}x_2 & + \frac{1}{3}x_6 \\ x_3 & = & \frac{13}{3} & + \frac{2}{3}x_7 & - \frac{1}{3}x_4 & + \frac{1}{3}x_2 & - \frac{1}{3}x_6 \\ x_5 & = & \frac{37}{3} & - \frac{1}{3}x_7 & + \frac{2}{3}x_4 & - \frac{5}{3}x_2 & + \frac{2}{3}x_6 \\ \hline w & = & -\frac{8}{3} & - \frac{1}{3}x_7 & - \frac{1}{3}x_4 & + \frac{1}{3}x_2 & - \frac{1}{3}x_6 \end{array}$$

x_2 enters and x_5 leaves

Dictionary D4

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x_1 & = & \frac{63}{5} + \frac{1}{5}x_7 - \frac{2}{5}x_4 - \frac{2}{5}x_5 + \frac{3}{5}x_6 \\ x_0 & = & \frac{1}{5} + \frac{2}{5}x_7 + \frac{2}{5}x_4 + \frac{2}{5}x_5 + \frac{2}{5}x_6 \\ x_3 & = & \frac{34}{5} + \frac{3}{5}x_7 - \frac{2}{5}x_4 - \frac{3}{5}x_5 - \frac{2}{5}x_6 \\ x_2 & = & \frac{37}{5} - \frac{1}{5}x_7 + \frac{2}{5}x_4 - \frac{3}{5}x_5 + \frac{2}{5}x_6 \\ \hline w & = & -\frac{1}{5} - \frac{2}{5}x_7 - \frac{2}{5}x_4 - \frac{2}{5}x_5 - \frac{2}{5}x_6 \end{array}$$

Aux. Problem

$$\max -x_0$$

$$\text{s.t. } x_1 - x_2 \leq 5 + x_0$$

$$x_2 + x_3 \leq 14 + x_0$$

$$-x_1 + x_3 \leq -6 + x_0$$

$$-x_3 \leq -7 + x_0$$

Least possible value of x_0 is $\frac{1}{5}$.

Infeasibility: Conclusion

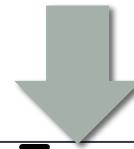
$$\begin{array}{lllllll} \max & x_1 & +2x_2 & -x_3 & & & \\ \text{s.t.} & x_1 & -x_2 & & & \leq & 5 \\ & & x_2 & +x_3 & & \leq & 14 \\ & -x_1 & & +x_3 & & \leq & -6 \\ & & & -x_3 & & \leq & -7 \end{array}$$

SIMPLEX: NUMBER OF POSSIBLE DICTIONARIES

Original LP

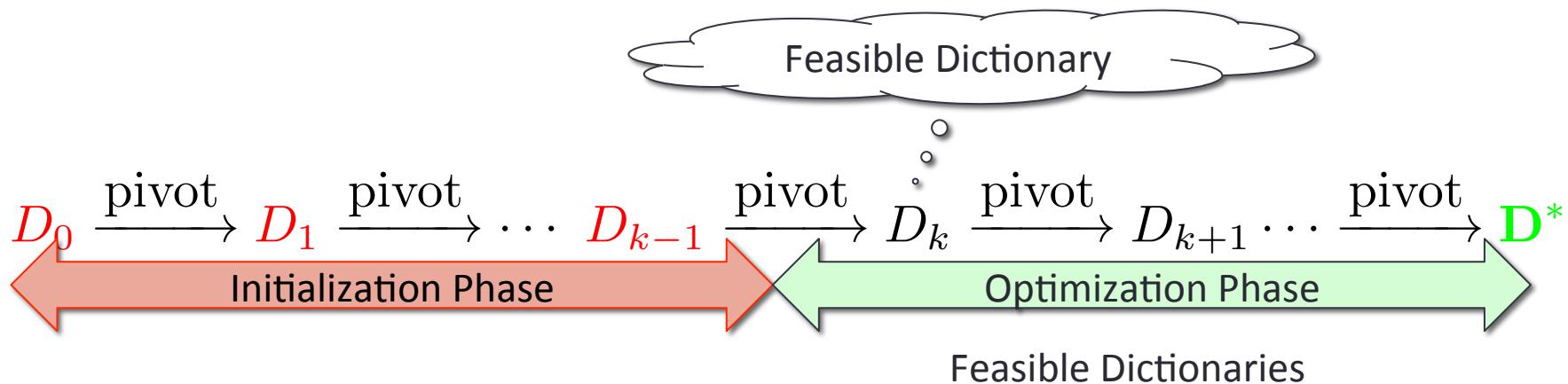
$$\begin{array}{lll} \max & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ & A\mathbf{x} \leq \mathbf{b} \\ & \mathbf{x} \geq 0 \end{array}$$

n decision variables
 m rows in A .

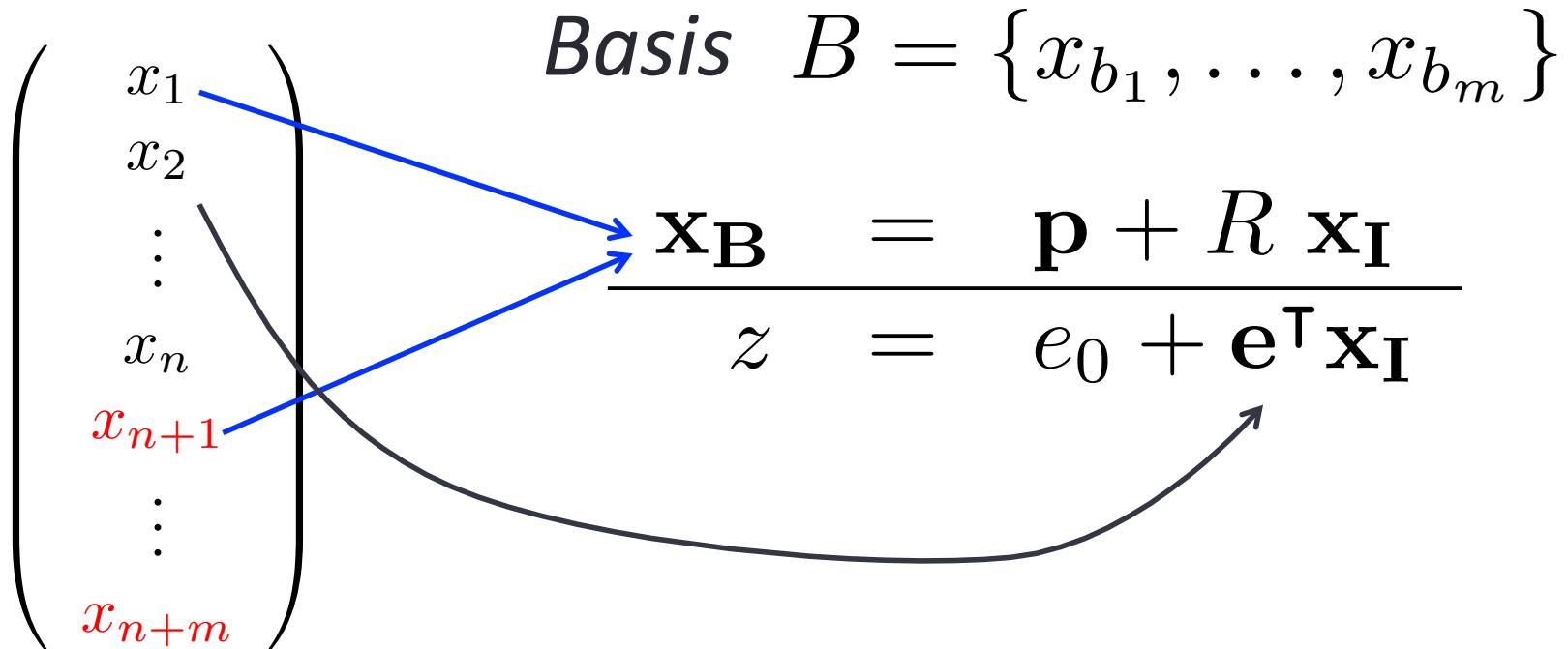


$$\begin{array}{lll} \max & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ & A\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{x}_s = \mathbf{b} \\ & \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}_s \geq 0 \end{array}$$

Simplex Overview



Dictionary (Opt. Phase)



Overview

For any LP instance, the number of possible dictionaries is finite.

1. Every dictionary uniquely reconstructed from basis set.
2. # of basis set is upper bounded by $\binom{n+m}{m}$

DICTIONARY RECONSTRUCTION

Surgery ☺

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Challenge

$$\begin{array}{lll} \max & \mathbf{c}^\top \mathbf{x} \\ & A\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{x}_s = \mathbf{b} \\ & \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}_s \geq 0 \end{array}$$

$$B = \{x_{b_1}, \dots, x_{b_m}\}$$



Reconstruct Dictionary
Given B

$$\begin{array}{ll} \mathbf{x}_B &= \mathbf{p} + R \mathbf{x}_I \\ \hline z &= e_0 + \mathbf{e}^\top \mathbf{x}_I \end{array}$$

Example Problem

$$\begin{array}{lllll} \text{max.} & x_1 & +2x_2 & & \\ \text{s.t.} & -3x_1 & +x_2 & \leq & 2 \\ & & +x_2 & \leq & 11 \\ & x_1 & -x_2 & \leq & 3 \\ & x_1 & & \leq & 6 \\ & x_1, & x_2 & \geq & 0 \end{array}$$

Original Problem

$$\begin{array}{llllll} \text{max.} & x_1 & +2x_2 & & & \\ \text{s.t.} & -3x_1 & +x_2 & +x_3 & = & 2 \\ & & +x_2 & +x_4 & = & 11 \\ & x_1 & -x_2 & +x_5 & = & 3 \\ & x_1 & & +x_6 & = & 6 \\ & x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_6 & & \geq & 0 \end{array}$$

Problem with Slack

Example

$$\begin{array}{llllll} \text{max.} & x_1 & +2x_2 & & & \\ \text{s.t.} & -3x_1 & +x_2 & +x_3 & = & 2 \\ & & +x_2 & +x_4 & = & 11 \\ & x_1 & -x_2 & +x_5 & = & 3 \\ & x_1 & & +x_6 & = & 6 \\ & x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_6 & \geq & 0 & & \end{array}$$

$$B = \{1, 2, 5, 6\}.$$

Example (Desired Goal)

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x_1 & = & ? + ?x_3 + ?x_4 \\ x_2 & = & ? + ?x_3 + ?x_4 \\ x_5 & = & ? + ?x_3 + ?x_4 \\ x_6 & = & ? + ?x_3 + ?x_4 \\ \hline z & = & ? + ?x_3 + ?x_4 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{lllll} \max. & x_1 & +2x_2 & & \\ \text{s.t.} & -3x_1 & +x_2 & +x_3 & = 2 \\ & & +x_2 & +x_4 & = 11 \\ & x_1 & -x_2 & +x_5 & = 3 \\ & x_1 & & +x_6 & = 6 \\ & x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_6 & \geq 0 & & \end{array}$$

$$B = \{1, 2, 5, 6\}.$$

Key Principle

Dictionary is just a restatement of the problem.
We express basic variables in terms of non-basic.

Dict. Reconstruction (Step 1)

$$B = \{1, 2, 5, 6\}.$$

max.	x_1	$+2x_2$			
s.t.	$-3x_1$	$+x_2$	$+x_3$	$=$	2
		$+x_2$	$+x_4$	$=$	11
	x_1	$-x_2$	$+x_5$	$=$	3
	x_1		$+x_6$	$=$	6
	$x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_6$		\geq		0

$$\begin{array}{lllll} -3x_1 & +x_2 & & = & 2 \\ & x_2 & & = & 11 \\ x_1 & -x_2 & +x_5 & = & 3 \\ x_1 & & +x_6 & = & 6 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ll} & -x_3 \\ & -x_4 \end{array}$$

Dict. Reconstruction (Step 2)

$$\begin{array}{rcl} -3x_1 + x_2 & = & 2 - x_3 \\ x_2 & = & 11 - x_4 \\ x_1 - x_2 + x_5 & = & 3 \\ x_1 + x_6 & = & 6 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_5 \\ x_6 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 11 \\ 3 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix}$$

Dict Reconstruction (Step 3)

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_5 \\ x_6 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \left[\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 11 \\ 3 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix} \right]$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_5 \\ x_6 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \left[\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 11 \\ 3 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix} \right]$$

Dict. Reconstruction

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_5 \\ x_6 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 11 \\ 11 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & -1 \\ \frac{-1}{3} & \frac{-2}{3} \\ \frac{-1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix}$$

Dictionary Reconstruction (Final Result)

$$x_1 = 3 + \frac{1}{3}x_3 - \frac{1}{3}x_4$$

$$x_2 = 11 + 0x_3 - x_4$$

$$x_5 = 11 - \frac{1}{3}x_3 - \frac{2}{3}x_4$$

$$x_6 = 3 - \frac{1}{3}x_3 + \frac{1}{3}x_4$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_5 \\ x_6 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 11 \\ 11 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & -1 \\ \frac{-1}{3} & \frac{-2}{3} \\ \frac{-1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$z = //\text{ORIG: } x_1 + 2x_2$$

Dict. Reconstruction

$$\begin{array}{llll}\max & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ & A\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{x}_s & = & \mathbf{b} \\ & \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}_s & \geq & 0\end{array}$$

Basis set: $B = \{x_{b1}, \dots, x_{bm}\}$.

Splitting the A matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & \cdots & a_{1,b1} & \cdots & a_{1,b2} & \cdots & a_{1,bm} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & \cdots & a_{2,b1} & \cdots & a_{2,b2} & \cdots & a_{2,bm} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots & & \ddots & & & & \\ a_{m1} & \cdots & a_{m,b1} & \cdots & a_{m,b2} & \cdots & a_{m,bm} & \cdots & a_{mn} \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_{b1} \\ \vdots \\ x_{b2} \\ \vdots \\ x_{bm} \\ \vdots \\ x_m \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A\mathbf{x} = A_B \mathbf{x}_B + A_I \mathbf{x}_I$$

Rewriting the Equation

$$A\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{x}_s = \mathbf{b}$$



Step 1

$$A_B \mathbf{x}_B + A_I \mathbf{x}_I = b$$



Step 2

$$A_B \mathbf{x}_B = \mathbf{b} - A_I \mathbf{x}_I$$

Is A_B always invertible?

Dictionary Reconstruction

$$A_B \mathbf{x}_B = \mathbf{b} - A_I \mathbf{x}_I$$



$$\mathbf{x}_B = A_B^{-1} \mathbf{b} - A_B^{-1} A_I \mathbf{x}_I$$

Is A_B always invertible?

Result Dictionary

$$\mathbf{c}^\top \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{c}_B^\top \mathbf{x}_B + \mathbf{c}_I^\top \mathbf{x}_I$$

$$\frac{\mathbf{x}_B}{\mathbf{c}} = \frac{A_B^{-1}\mathbf{b}}{\mathbf{c}_B^\top A_B^{-1}\mathbf{b} + (-\mathbf{c}_B^\top A_B^{-1}A_I + \mathbf{c}_I^\top) \mathbf{x}_I}$$

Claim #1

Given Original Problem +
Desired Basis

Can reconstruct dictionary uniquely.

Key Insight # 2

For any given problem, number of possible dictionaries is finite.

$$\#\text{Dictionaries} \leq \#\text{Basis Set}$$

$$\#\text{Basis Set} = \binom{n+m}{m}$$

REVISED SIMPLEX METHOD

Description of Pivoting

Revised Simplex: Partial Reconstruction

$$\begin{array}{lcl} x_{B1} & = & b_1 \\ x_{B2} & = & b_2 \\ \vdots & & \\ x_{Bm} & = & b_m \\ \hline z & = & c_0 + c_1 x_{I1} + \cdots + c_j x_{Ij} + \cdots + c_n x_{In} \end{array}$$

1. Solution for Basic Variables

2. Objective row coefficients

3. Column for entering Variable

The diagram illustrates the Revised Simplex method. It shows a system of equations for basic variables and an objective function. A red dashed oval encloses the right-hand side constants b_1, b_2, \dots, b_m . A green oval encloses the objective function coefficients c_0, c_1, \dots, c_n . A gray box highlights the column for the entering variable x_{Ij} , containing coefficients $a_{1j}, a_{2j}, \dots, a_{mj}$.

Choosing Entering Variable

$$\frac{\mathbf{x}_B}{z} = \frac{\hat{\mathbf{b}} + \hat{A}\mathbf{x}_I}{z_0 + \hat{c} \mathbf{x}_I}$$

Q: How do we compute the objective coefficients (aka reduced costs)?

Computing Objective Coefficients

- Original Problem Data: A, b, c
- Current Basis Set: $B = \{x_{B1}, x_{B2}, \dots, x_{Bm}\}$

Choosing Entering Variable

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x_{B1} & = & b_1 + a_{11}x_{I1} + \cdots + \color{red}{a_{1j}}x_{Ij} + \cdots + a_{1n}x_{In} \\ x_{B2} & = & b_2 + a_{21}x_{I1} + \cdots + \color{red}{a_{2j}}x_{Ij} + \cdots + a_{2n}x_{In} \\ & \vdots & \\ x_{Bm} & = & b_m + a_{m1}x_{I1} + \cdots + \color{red}{a_{mj}}x_{Ij} + \cdots + a_{mn}x_{In} \\ \hline z & = & c_0 + c_1x_{I1} + \cdots + \color{red}{c_jx_{Ij}} + \cdots + c_nx_{In} \end{array}$$

$$\pi = \mathbf{c}_B^\top A_B^{-1}$$

$$\hat{\mathbf{c}} = \mathbf{c}_I^\top - \pi A_I$$

Computing the Objective Row

- Compute $\pi = \mathbf{c}_B^T A_B^{-1}$
by solving the system of equations

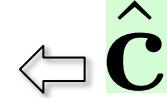
$$\boxed{\pi A_B = \mathbf{c}_B^T}$$

- Obtain obj. row coefficients by computing

$$\hat{\mathbf{c}} = \mathbf{c}_I^T - \pi A_I$$

- Objective value is $\mathcal{Z} = \pi \mathbf{b}$

Entering Variable Analysis

$$z = c_0 + c_1 x_{I1} + \cdots + \overset{\circ}{c_j} x_{Ij} \overset{\circ}{+} \cdots + c_n x_{In}$$


Choose positive coefficient c_j

If no such coefficient, then dictionary is final.

Leaving Variable Analysis

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x_{B1} & = & b_1 & + a_{1j} x_{Ij} \\ x_{B2} & = & b_2 & + a_{2j} x_{Ij} \\ \vdots & & & \\ x_{Bm} & = & b_m & + a_{mj} x_{Ij} \\ \hline z & = & c_0 + c_1 x_{I1} + \cdots + c_j x_{Ij} + \cdots + c_n x_{In} \end{array}$$

$\hat{\mathbf{b}}$ and $\hat{\mathbf{a}}_j$

Leaving Variable Analysis

- Compute $\hat{\mathbf{b}} = A_B^{-1} \mathbf{b}$ by solving the equations

$$A_B \hat{\mathbf{b}} = \mathbf{b}$$

- Compute $\hat{\mathbf{a}}_j = -A_B^{-1} A_j$ by solving the equations

$$A_B \hat{\mathbf{a}}_j = -A_j$$

We have enough data to perform leaving variable analysis.

REVISED SIMPLEX: EXAMPLE

Example Problem

$$\begin{array}{llllllll}
 \max & x_1 & -x_2 & +x_3 & -x_4 & & & \\
 & 2x_1 & -3x_2 & +7x_3 & -15x_4 & +x_5 & & = 10 \\
 & & x_2 & -4x_3 & +6x_4 & & +x_6 & = 12 \\
 & -x_1 & & +x_3 & -2x_4 & & +x_7 & = 4 \\
 & & x_2 & +x_3 & & & +x_8 & = 16 \\
 & & & & & & x_1, \dots, x_8 & \geq 0
 \end{array}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 7 & -15 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & 6 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 12 \\ 4 \\ 16 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{c} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Example Problem

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 7 & -15 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & 6 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 12 \\ 4 \\ 16 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{c} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$B = \{5, 6, 7, 8\}$$

Constructing Objective Coefficient

$$A_B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad A_I = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 7 & -15 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & 6 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{c}_B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{c}_I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \pi = \mathbf{c}_B^\top A_B^{-1} = [0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0]$$
$$\hat{\mathbf{c}} = \mathbf{c}_I^\top - \pi A_I = [1 \ -1 \ 1 \ -1]$$

Constructing dictionary

$$B = \{5, 6, 7, 8\}$$

- Choose x_3 as entering variable ($j = 3$).
- Leaving variable analysis requires $\hat{\mathbf{b}}$ and $\hat{\mathbf{a}}_j$

$$\hat{\mathbf{b}} = A_B^{-1} \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 12 \\ 4 \\ 16 \end{bmatrix} \quad \hat{\mathbf{a}}_j = -A_B^{-1} A_j = \begin{bmatrix} -7 \\ 4 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Result

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 7 & -15 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & 6 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 12 \\ 4 \\ 16 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{c} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B = \{5, 6, 7, 8\}$$

Entering Variable is x_3 Leaving Variable is x_5

$$B = \{3, 6, 7, 8\}$$

Second Dictionary

$$B = \{3, 6, 7, 8\}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 7 & -15 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & 6 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 12 \\ 4 \\ 16 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{c} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Calculations for Pivoting

$A_b =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -4 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$p_l = [0.2857 \quad 0 \quad 0 \quad 0]$$

$$c_{hat} = [0.4286 \quad -0.1429 \quad -0.2857 \quad \textcolor{red}{3.2857}]$$

Entering Index = 4

$A_i =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 1 & -15 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 6 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$b_{hat} =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1.4286 \\ 17.7143 \\ 2.5714 \\ \textcolor{red}{14.5714} \end{bmatrix}$$

$A_j =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2.1429 \\ 2.5714 \\ -0.1429 \\ \textcolor{red}{-2.1429} \end{bmatrix}$$

Leaving Index = 8

Third Dictionary

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 7 & -15 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & 6 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 12 \\ 4 \\ 16 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{c} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$B = \{3, 6, 7, 8\}$$

Variable x_4 enters and x_8 leaves

$$B = \{3, 6, 7, \textcolor{red}{4}\}$$

Calculations for Pivot

$A_b =$

$$\begin{matrix} 7 & 0 & 0 & -15 \\ -4 & 1 & 0 & 6 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{matrix}$$

$$pI = [0.0667 \quad 0 \quad 0 \quad 1.5333]$$

$$c\hat{H} = [0.8667 \quad -2.3333 \quad -0.0667 \quad -1.5333]$$

Entering Index: 1

$A_i =$

$$\begin{matrix} 2 & -3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{matrix}$$

$b\hat{H} =$

$$16.0000 \quad 0$$

$$35.2000 \quad -0.8000$$

$$1.6000 \quad 1.2667$$

$$6.8000 \quad 0.1333$$

$A_j =$

Leaving Index: 6

Third Dictionary

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 7 & -15 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & 6 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 12 \\ 4 \\ 16 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{c} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B = \{3, 6, 7, 4\}$$

Variable x_1 enters and x_6 leaves

$$B = \{3, \mathbf{1}, 7, 4\}$$

Pivot Calculations

$A_b =$

$$\begin{matrix} 7 & 2 & 0 & -15 \\ -4 & 0 & 0 & 6 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{matrix}$$

$p_{II} =$

$$0.5000 \quad 1.0833 \quad 0 \quad 2.8333$$

$c_{II} =$

$A_i =$

$$-1.0833 \quad -3.4167 \quad -0.5000 \quad -2.8333$$

$$\begin{matrix} 0 & -3 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{matrix}$$

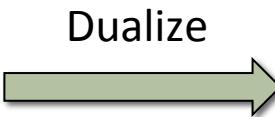
Final Dictionary. Objective Value: 47.333

DUALITY: BASIC IDEAS

Dual Problem

Powerful way of viewing optimization problem

$$\begin{array}{ll}\max & f(\vec{x}) \\ \text{s.t.} & C(\vec{x}) \leq \vec{d}\end{array}$$

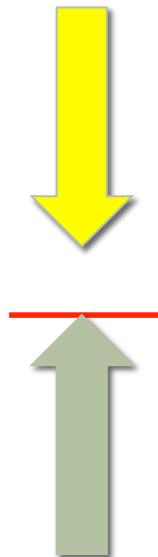


$$\begin{array}{ll}\min & g(\vec{y}) \\ \text{s.t.} & P(\vec{y}) \leq \vec{q}\end{array}$$

General Opt. Problem
(Primal Problem)

Dual Problem

Dualization Motivation

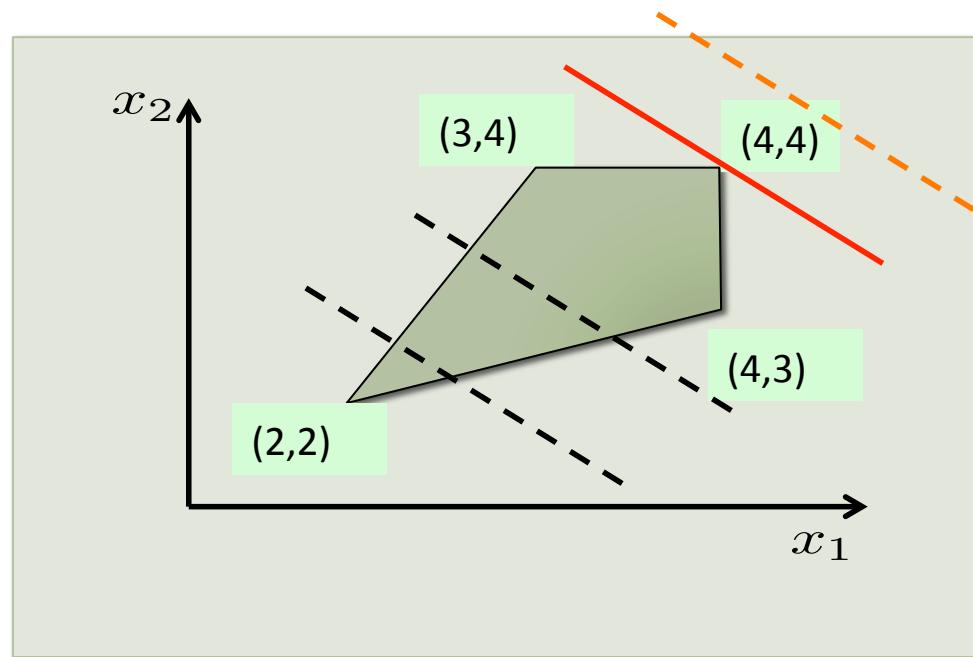


Get upper bounds to primal optimum and obtain best upper bound

Example

$$\begin{array}{lll} \text{max.} & x_1 + 2x_2 \\ \text{s.t.} & -2x_1 + x_2 \leq -2 \\ & x_2 \leq 4 \\ & x_1 - 2x_2 \leq -2 \\ & x_1 \leq 4 \\ & x_1, x_2 \geq 0 \end{array}$$

Optimal Solution: $z = 12$



Example

$$\begin{array}{lll} \text{max.} & x_1 + 2x_2 \\ \text{s.t.} & -2x_1 + x_2 \leq -2 \\ & x_2 \leq 4 \\ & x_1 - 2x_2 \leq -2 \\ & x_1 \leq 4 \\ & x_1, x_2 \geq 0 \end{array}$$



$$-2x_1 + x_2 \leq -2 \Rightarrow -4x_1 + 2x_2 \leq -4$$

$$x_1 \leq 4 \Rightarrow 5x_1 \leq 20$$

$$x_1 + 2x_2 \leq 16$$

Example

$$\begin{array}{lll} \text{max.} & x_1 + 2x_2 \\ \text{s.t.} & -2x_1 + x_2 \leq -2 \\ & x_2 \leq 4 \\ & x_1 - 2x_2 \leq -2 \\ & x_1 \leq 4 \\ & x_1, x_2 \geq 0 \end{array}$$



$$x_1 \leq 4 \Rightarrow x_1 \leq 4$$

$$x_2 \leq 4 \Rightarrow 2x_2 \leq 8$$

$$x_1 + 2x_2 \leq 12$$

General Principle (Attempt 1 of 2)

$$\begin{array}{lllllll} \max z = & c_1x_1 & +c_2x_2 & +\cdots+ & c_nx_n & & \\ & a_{11}x_1 & +a_{12}x_2 & +\cdots+ & a_{1n}x_n & \leq & b_1 \leftarrow e_1 \leq b_1 \\ & a_{21}x_1 & +a_{22}x_2 & +\cdots+ & a_{2n}x_n & \leq & b_2 \leftarrow e_2 \leq b_2 \\ & \vdots & & \ddots & & \vdots & \\ & a_{m1}x_1 & +a_{m2}x_2 & +\cdots+ & a_{mn}x_n & \leq & b_m \leftarrow e_m \leq b_m \\ & & & & x_1, \dots, x_n & \geq & 0 \end{array}$$

$$c_1x_1 + \dots + c_mx_m \equiv y_1 \times e_1 + y_2 \times e_2 + \dots + y_m \times e_m$$

$$z^* \leq y_1b_1 + y_2b_2 + \dots + y_mb_m$$

$$y_1, y_2, \dots, y_m \geq 0$$

Example

$$\begin{array}{llllll} \max & -2x_1 & +3x_2 & +x_3 & & \\ & x_1 & -x_2 & +x_3 & \leq & 10 \\ & 2x_1 & -3x_2 & -x_3 & \leq & 10 \\ & & +6x_2 & +2x_3 & \leq & 10 \\ & x_1, x_2, x_3 & & & \geq & 0 \end{array}$$

General Principle (Attempt 1 of 2)

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$$c_1x_1 + c_2x_2 + \cdots + c_nx_n \equiv \sum_{i=1}^m y_i(e_i) + y_{m+1}(-x_1) + \cdots + y_{n+m}(-x_n)$$

Example

$$\begin{array}{lllll} \max & -2x_1 & +3x_2 & +x_3 & \\ & x_1 & -x_2 & +x_3 & \leq 10 \\ & 2x_1 & -3x_2 & -x_3 & \leq 10 \\ & & +6x_2 & +2x_3 & \leq 10 \\ & -x_1 & & & \leq 0 \\ & -x_2 & & & \leq 0 \\ & -x_3 & & & \leq 0 \end{array}$$

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General Principle

$$\begin{array}{lllllll} \max z = & c_1x_1 & +c_2x_2 & +\cdots+ & c_nx_n & & \\ & a_{11}x_1 & +a_{12}x_2 & +\cdots+ & a_{1n}x_n & \leq & b_1 & \leftarrow \times y_1 \\ & a_{21}x_1 & +a_{22}x_2 & +\cdots+ & a_{2n}x_n & \leq & b_2 & \leftarrow \times y_2 \\ & \vdots & & \ddots & & \vdots & & \\ & a_{m1}x_1 & +a_{m2}x_2 & +\cdots+ & a_{mn}x_n & \leq & b_m & \leftarrow \times y_m \\ & -x_1 & & & & \leq & 0 & \leftarrow \times y_{m+1} \\ & & -x_2 & & & \leq & 0 & \leftarrow \times y_{m+2} \\ & & & \ddots & & & & \\ & & & & -x_n & \leq & 0 & \leftarrow \times y_{m+n} \end{array}$$

Valid Upper Bounds

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc} a_{11}y_1 & +a_{21}y_2 & + \cdots & +a_{m1}y_m & -y_{m+1} & & & = & c_1 \\ a_{12}y_2 & +a_{22}y_2 & + \cdots & +a_{m2}y_m & & -y_{m+2} & & = & c_2 \\ \vdots & & \ddots & & & & \ddots & & \\ a_{1n}y_1 & +a_{2n}y_2 & + \cdots & +a_{mn}y_m & & & -y_{m+n} & = & c_n \\ y_1, & y_2, & \cdots & y_m, & y_{m+1}, & y_{m+2}, & \cdots & y_{m+n} & \geq & 0 \end{array}$$

$$b_1y_1 + b_2y_2 + \cdots + b_my_m$$

Matrix Form.

$$\begin{array}{lll} \max & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ & A \mathbf{x} \leq \mathbf{b} \\ & \mathbf{x} \geq \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$

Original Problem

$$\begin{array}{lll} A^T \mathbf{y} - \mathbf{y}_s & = & \mathbf{c} \\ \mathbf{y} & \geq & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{y}_s & \geq & \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$

Yields Upper
Bound:

$$\mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y}$$

Most Stringent Upper Bound

$$\begin{array}{lll} \max & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ A \mathbf{x} & \leq \mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{x} & \geq 0 \end{array} \xrightarrow{\hspace{1cm}} \begin{array}{lll} A^T \mathbf{y} & -\mathbf{y}_s & = \mathbf{c} \\ \mathbf{y} & & \geq 0 \\ & \mathbf{y}_s & \geq 0 \end{array} \xrightarrow{\hspace{1cm}} \boxed{\mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y}}$$

$$\begin{array}{lll} \min & \mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y} \\ A^T \mathbf{y} & -\mathbf{y}_s & = \mathbf{c} \\ \mathbf{y} & & \geq 0 \\ \mathbf{y}_s & \geq 0 & \end{array}$$

Dual Problem

Dual Problem (cont)

$$\begin{array}{lll} \min & \mathbf{b}^\top \mathbf{y} \\ & A^\top \mathbf{y} - \mathbf{y}_s = \mathbf{c} \\ & \mathbf{y} \geq 0 \\ & \mathbf{y}_s \geq 0 \end{array}$$

$$\boxed{\begin{array}{llll} \max & \mathbf{c}^\top \mathbf{x} \\ A \mathbf{x} & \leq \mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{x} & \geq 0 \end{array}}$$

$$\begin{array}{lll} \min & \mathbf{b}^\top \mathbf{y} \\ & A^\top \mathbf{y} \geq \mathbf{c} \\ & \mathbf{y} \geq 0 \end{array}$$

Dual Problem (Example)

$$\begin{array}{lllll} \max & -2x_1 & +3x_2 & +x_3 & \\ & x_1 & -x_2 & +x_3 & \leq 10 \\ & 2x_1 & -3x_2 & -x_3 & \leq 10 \\ & & +6x_2 & +2x_3 & \leq 10 \\ & x_1, x_2, x_3 & \geq 0 & & \end{array}$$

Dual Problem (Example)

$$\begin{array}{lllll} \max & -2x_1 & +3x_2 & +x_3 & \\ & x_1 & -x_2 & +x_3 & \leq 10 \\ & 2x_1 & -3x_2 & -x_3 & \leq 10 \\ & & +6x_2 & +2x_3 & \leq 10 \\ & x_1, x_2, x_3 & \geq 0 & & \end{array}$$

Example

- Dual Decision Variables

$$\vec{y} = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

- Dual Problem:

$$\min \quad 10y_1 + 10y_2 + 10y_3$$

$$\begin{array}{lllll} y_1 & +2y_2 & & \geq & -2 \\ -y_1 & -3y_2 & +6y_3 & \geq & 3 \\ y_1 & -y_2 & +2y_3 & \geq & 1 \\ y_1, & y_2, & y_3 & \geq & 0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{lllll} \max & -2x_1 & +3x_2 & +x_3 & \\ x_1 & -x_2 & +x_3 & \leq & 10 \\ 2x_1 & -3x_2 & -x_3 & \leq & 10 \\ +6x_2 & +2x_3 & & \leq & 10 \\ x_1, x_2, x_3 & \geq & 0 \end{array}$$

Example-2

$$\begin{array}{lllll}\text{max.} & x_1 + 2x_2 & & & \\ \text{s.t.} & -2x_1 + x_2 & \leq & -2 & \\ & x_2 & \leq & 4 & \\ & x_1 - 2x_2 & \leq & -2 & \\ & x_1 & \leq & 4 & \\ & x_1, x_2 & \geq & 0 & \end{array}$$

Example-3

$$\begin{array}{lllll} \text{maximize} & 2x_1 + 3x_2 - 5x_3 \\ \text{s.t.} & x_1 - x_2 & \leq & 5 \\ & -x_1 + x_3 & \leq & 6 \\ & -2x_1 + x_3 & \leq & 2 \\ & -x_1 + x_2 & \leq & 4 \\ & x_1, x_2, x_3 & \geq & 0 \end{array}$$

DUAL LINEAR PROGRAM: WEAK/STRONG DUALITY

Linear Program (Dual)

$$\begin{array}{lll} \max & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ & A \mathbf{x} \leq \mathbf{b} \\ & \mathbf{x} \geq \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$

Standard Form Converted Dual

Dual Problem

$$\begin{array}{llll} \min & \mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y} \\ & \mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{y} \geq \mathbf{c} \\ & \mathbf{y} \geq \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{llll} \max & -\mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y} \\ & -\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{y} \leq -\mathbf{c} \\ & \mathbf{y} \geq \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$

Primal vs. Dual

$$\begin{array}{ll} \max & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ \text{subject to} & A \mathbf{x} \leq \mathbf{b} \\ & \mathbf{x} \geq \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \min & \mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y} \\ \text{subject to} & A^T \mathbf{y} \geq \mathbf{c} \\ & \mathbf{y} \geq \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$

- n variables
- m constraints
- Problem Matrix: A
- Objective vector: c (max)
- RHS of inequality: b (\leq)

- m variables
- n constraints
- Problem Matrix: A^T
- Objective Vector: b (min)
- RHS of inequality: c (\geq)

Weak Duality Theorem

$$\begin{array}{ll} \max & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ \text{subject to} & A \mathbf{x} \leq \mathbf{b} \\ & \mathbf{x} \geq 0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \min & \mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y} \\ \text{subject to} & A^T \mathbf{y} \geq \mathbf{c} \\ & \mathbf{y} \geq 0 \end{array}$$

Let \mathbf{y} be **any** dual feasible solution and let \mathbf{x} be **any** primal feasible solution.

$$\mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y} \geq \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x}$$

Weak Duality Theorem

Let \mathbf{y}^* be an optimal solution for the dual and \mathbf{x}^* be an optimal solution to the primal.

$$\mathbf{b}^\top \mathbf{y}^* \geq \mathbf{c}^\top \mathbf{x}^*$$

Another Useful Result

- Let \mathbf{x} be any primal feasible solution and \mathbf{y} be any dual feasible solution such that

$$\mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x}$$

- \mathbf{x} is primal optimal, and
- \mathbf{y} is dual optimal.

Strong Duality

- Let \mathbf{x}^* be a primal optimal solution for an LP.
 - The dual problem has an optimal solution, and
 - Any dual optimal solution \mathbf{y}^* satisfies

$$\mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y}^* = \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x}^*$$

Unboundedness of Primal/Dual

- If Primal unbounded then dual is infeasible.
- If Dual unbounded then primal is infeasible.

Relation between Primal and Dual Problems

	Infeasible	Unbounded	Optimal
Infeasible	Possible	Possible	
Unbounded	Possible		
Optimal			Possible

If Primal is unbounded then dual is infeasible.

If Dual is unbounded then primal is infeasible.

Both problems can be infeasible

Both Primal and Dual Infeasible.

$$\begin{array}{lllll} \max & x_2 & & \min & -y_1 & -y_2 \\ x_1 & \leq & -1 & y_1 & & \geq 0 \\ -x_2 & \leq & -1 & -y_2 & \geq 1 \\ x_1, x_2 & \geq & 0 & y_1, y_2 & \geq 0 \end{array}$$

Dual Certificate

$$\begin{array}{ll} \max & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ & A \mathbf{x} \leq \mathbf{b} \\ & \mathbf{x} \geq 0 \end{array}$$

Someone tells us \mathbf{x}^* is an optimal solution.

Do we trust them?

- Check if \mathbf{x}^* is feasible?
- **How to check if it is optimal?**

Dual Certificates

- Given x (Claimed to be primal optimal solution) and
- Given y (Claimed to be dual optimal solution).

We can use both to convince ourselves.

1. Check feasibility of x using primal problem
2. Form dual problem and check feasibility of y
3. Check that primal objective value is equal to dual objective value.

Example

$$\begin{array}{lll} \text{max.} & x_1 + 2x_2 \\ \text{s.t.} & -2x_1 + x_2 \leq -2 \\ & x_2 \leq 4 \\ & x_1 - 2x_2 \leq -2 \\ & x_1 \leq 4 \\ & x_1, x_2 \geq 0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{llllllll} \min & -2y_1 & +4y_2 & -2y_3 & +4y_4 \\ & -2y_1 & & +y_3 & +y_4 & \geq & 1 \\ & y_1 & +y_2 & -2y_3 & & \geq & 2 \\ & y_1, & y_2, & y_3, & y_4 & \geq & 0 \end{array}$$

$$x_1 = 4, \quad x_2 = 4, \quad z = 12$$

$$y_1 = 0, \quad y_2 = 2, \quad y_3 = 0, \quad y_4 = 1$$

PRIMAL/DUAL CORRESPONDENCE

Complementary Pairs

Primal vs. Dual

$$\begin{array}{ll} \max & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ A \mathbf{x} & \leq \mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{x} & \geq 0 \end{array}$$

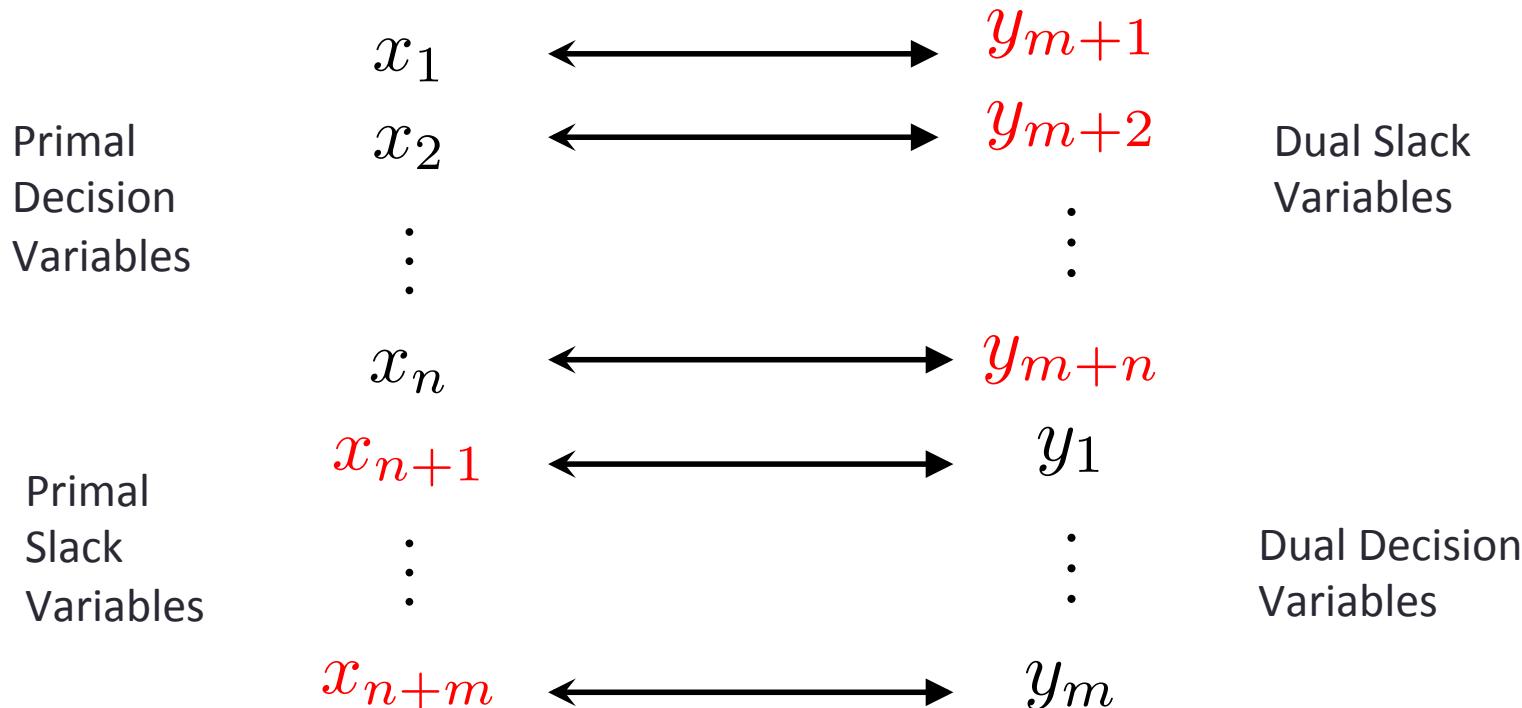
$$\begin{array}{ll} \min & \mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y} \\ A^T \mathbf{y} & \geq \mathbf{c} \\ \mathbf{y} & \geq 0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \max & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ A \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{x}_s & = \mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{x} & \geq 0 \\ \mathbf{x}_s & \geq 0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \min & \mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y} \\ A^T \mathbf{y} - \mathbf{y}_s & = \mathbf{c} \\ \mathbf{y} & \geq 0 \\ \mathbf{y}_s & \geq 0 \end{array}$$

Dual of Dual is the Primal

Complementary Variable Pairs



Complementary Pairs (Example)

$$\begin{array}{lllllll} \max & 2x_1 & +3x_2 & -x_3 & & & \\ & x_1 & -x_2 & & \leq & 5 & \leftarrow y_1 \\ & 2x_2 & +x_2 & -x_3 & \leq & -1 & \leftarrow y_2 \\ & x_1 & -x_2 & +x_3 & \leq & 2 & \leftarrow y_3 \\ & x_1 & +x_2 & -x_3 & \leq & 1 & \leftarrow y_4 \\ & -x_1 & & & \leq & 0 & \leftarrow y_5 \\ & & -x_2 & & \leq & 0 & \leftarrow y_6 \\ & & & -x_3 & \leq & 0 & \leftarrow y_7 \end{array}$$

DUAL DICTIONARIES

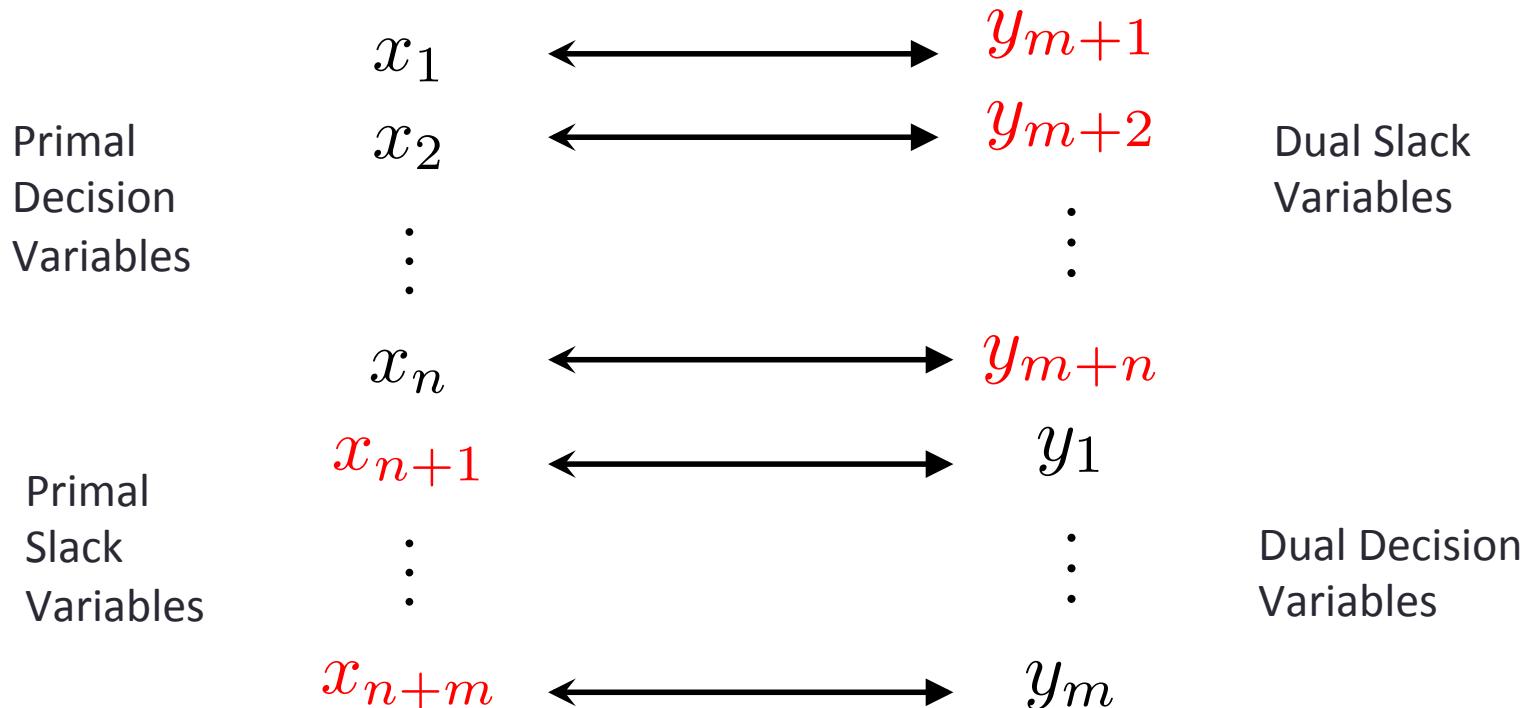
Primal vs. Dual

$$\begin{array}{ll} \max & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ \text{s.t.} & A \mathbf{x} \leq \mathbf{b} \\ & \mathbf{x} \geq \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \min & \mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y} \\ \text{s.t.} & A^T \mathbf{y} \geq \mathbf{c} \\ & \mathbf{y} \geq \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \max & -\mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y} \\ \text{s.t.} & -A^T \mathbf{y} \leq -\mathbf{c} \\ & \mathbf{y} \geq \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$

Complementary Variable Pairs



Example

$$\text{max. } x_1 + 2x_2$$

$$\begin{array}{lllll} \text{s.t. } & -3x_1 & +x_2 & \leq & 2 \\ & & +x_2 & \leq & 11 \\ & x_1 & -x_2 & \leq & 3 \\ & x_1 & & \leq & 6 \\ & x_1, & x_2 & \geq & 0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{llllll} \text{max } & -2y_1 & -11y_2 & -3y_3 & -6y_4 & \\ & 3y_1 & & -y_3 & -y_4 & \leq -1 \\ & -y_1 & -y_2 & +y_3 & & \leq -2 \\ & y_1, & y_2, & y_3, & y_4, & \geq 0 \end{array}$$

x_1	x_2	x_3	x_4	x_5	x_6
y_5	y_6	y_1	y_2	y_3	y_4

Primal vs. Dual Dictionaries

$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 x_3 & = & 2 + 3x_1 - x_2 \\
 x_4 & = & 11 + 0x_1 - x_2 \\
 x_5 & = & 3 - x_1 + x_2 \\
 x_6 & = & 6 - x_1 + 0x_2 \\
 \hline
 z & = & 0 + x_1 + 2x_2
 \end{array}$$

x_1	x_2	x_3	x_4	x_5	x_6
y_5	y_6	y_1	y_2	y_3	y_4

Primal Problem
Dictionary

Dual Problem
Dictionary

y_5	-1	$-3y_1$		$+y_3$	$+y_4$
y_6	-2	$+y_1$	$+y_2$	$-y_3$	
d	0	$-2y_1$	$-11y_2$	$-3y_3$	$-6y_4$

Dual Dictionary

$$\begin{array}{c|cc} \mathbf{x}_B & \mathbf{b} & +A\mathbf{x}_I \\ \hline z & z_0 & +\mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x}_I \end{array}$$

Primal Problem
Dictionary

\mathbf{x}	\mathbf{x}_S
\mathbf{y}_S	\mathbf{y}

$$\begin{array}{c|cc} \mathbf{x}_I^c & -\mathbf{c} & -A^T \mathbf{x}_B^c \\ \hline d & -z_0 & -\mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{x}_B^c \end{array}$$

Dual Problem
Dictionary

Example #2

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x_1 & = & 3 - \frac{1}{3}x_4 + \frac{1}{3}x_3 \\ x_2 & = & 11 - x_4 + 0x_3 \\ x_5 & = & 11 - \frac{2}{3}x_4 - \frac{1}{3}x_3 \\ x_6 & = & 3 + \frac{1}{3}x_4 - \frac{1}{3}x_3 \\ \hline z & = & 18 - \frac{7}{3}x_4 + \frac{1}{3}x_3 \end{array}$$

x_1	x_2	x_3	x_4	x_5	x_6
y_5	y_6	y_1	y_2	y_3	y_4

Example #3

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x_3 & = & 9 + x_4 - 3x_6 \\ x_1 & = & 6 \qquad \qquad \qquad -x_6 \\ x_2 & = & 11 - x_4 + 0x_6 \\ \hline x_5 & = & 8 - x_4 + x_6 \\ \hline z & = & 21 - 2x_4 - x_6 \end{array}$$

x_1	x_2	x_3	x_4	x_5	x_6
y_5	y_6	y_1	y_2	y_3	y_4

Dual Dictionary

	Primal Problem Dictionary		
\mathbf{x}_B	b	$+ A\mathbf{x}_I$	
z	z_0	$+ \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x}_I$	
	Dual Problem Dictionary		
\mathbf{x}_I^c	$-\mathbf{c}$	$-A^T \mathbf{x}_B^c$	
d	$-z_0$	$-b^T \mathbf{x}_B^c$	

Primal vs. Dual Dictionary

\mathbf{x}_B	b	$+A\mathbf{x}_I$	\mathbf{x}_I^c	$-c$	$-A^\top \mathbf{x}_B^c$
z	z_0	$+c^\top \mathbf{x}_I$	d	$-z_0$	$-b^\top \mathbf{x}_B^c$

Non-Final



Infeasible

Feasible + Final



Feasible + Final

Pivoting the primal

$$D_i \xrightarrow[x_j \text{ leaves}]{x_i \text{ enters}} D_{i+1}$$

$$D_i^c \xrightarrow[x_j^c \text{ enters}]{x_i^c \text{ leaves}} D_{i+1}^c$$

Simplex Optimization Phase

Primal $D_1 \rightarrow D_2 \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \mathbf{D}^*$
Dict.



Dual
Dict. $D_1^c \rightarrow D_2^c \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \mathbf{D}^{c*}$

PROOFS OF THEOREMS

Dual Dictionary

		<p style="text-align: center;">Primal Problem Dictionary</p>
\mathbf{x}_B	b	$+ A\mathbf{x}_I$
z	z_0	$+ \mathbf{c}^\top \mathbf{x}_I$

		<p style="text-align: center;">Dual Problem Dictionary</p>
\mathbf{x}_I^c	$-\mathbf{c}$	$-A^\top \mathbf{x}_B^c$
d	$-z_0$	$-\mathbf{b}^\top \mathbf{x}_B^c$

Theorem

Let \mathbf{x} be a primal solution and \mathbf{y} be a dual solution such that

$$\mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y}$$

It follows that \mathbf{x} is primal optimal and \mathbf{y} is dual optimal.

Fundamental Result of Simplex

The solution associated with any (feasible) final dictionary of the primal problem is optimal.

\mathbf{x}_B	b	$+A\mathbf{x}_I$
z	z_0	$+c^\top \mathbf{x}_I$

Feasible + Final Primal Dict.

\mathbf{x}_I^c	$-c$	$-A^\top \mathbf{x}_B^c$
d	$-z_0$	$-b^\top \mathbf{x}_B^c$

Feasible + Final Dual Dict.

Primal Objective = Dual Objective Value

Strong Duality

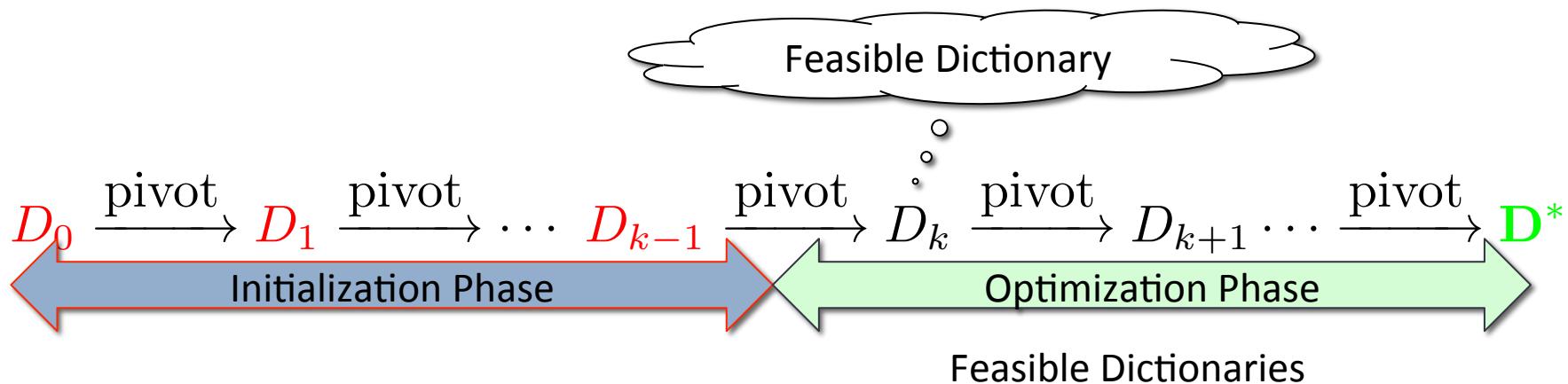
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 - The dual problem has an optimal solution, and
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$$\mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y}^* = \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x}^*$$

Proof of Strong Duality Theorem

INITIALIZATION USING THE DUAL

Simplex Algorithm



Initialization

- Goal: Find a feasible dictionary for the problem.

$$\begin{array}{ll} \max & \mathbf{c}^\top \mathbf{x} \\ A \mathbf{x} & \leq \mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{x} & \geq \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$

Observation:
Objective does not matter.

Initialization

$$\begin{array}{ll} \max & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ & A \mathbf{x} \leq \mathbf{b} \\ & \mathbf{x} \geq \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$

Original Problem

If all entries in $\mathbf{b} \geq 0$

- Initialization **not needed**.

If any entry in $\mathbf{b} < 0$

- initialization **needed**.

Linear Program (Dual)

$$\begin{array}{lll} \max & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ & A \mathbf{x} \leq \mathbf{b} \\ & \mathbf{x} \geq \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$

Standard Form Converted Dual

Dual Problem

$$\begin{array}{llll} \min & \mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y} \\ & A^T \mathbf{y} \geq \mathbf{c} \\ & \mathbf{y} \geq \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{llll} \max & -\mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y} \\ & -A^T \mathbf{y} \leq -\mathbf{c} \\ & \mathbf{y} \geq \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$

Initialization Using Dual: Basic Idea

1. Change the objective function

$$\begin{array}{ll} \max \mathbf{d}^T \mathbf{x} \\ A \mathbf{x} \leq \mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{x} \geq \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$

Dual Problem

$$\begin{array}{ll} \max -\mathbf{b}^\top \mathbf{y} \\ -A^\top \mathbf{y} \leq -\mathbf{d} \\ \mathbf{y} \geq \mathbf{0} \end{array}$$

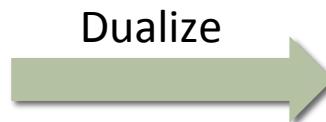
All
Positive

Idea: choose \mathbf{d} to be all negative entries.

Initialization Using Dual

$$\begin{array}{lll} \max & \mathbf{d}^T \mathbf{x} \\ \text{s.t.} & A \mathbf{x} \leq \mathbf{b} \\ & \mathbf{x} \geq 0 \end{array}$$

\mathbf{d} has all negative entries



$$\begin{array}{lll} \max & -\mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y} \\ \text{s.t.} & -A^T \mathbf{y} \leq -\mathbf{d} \\ & \mathbf{y} \geq 0 \end{array}$$

Optimization
Phase Simplex



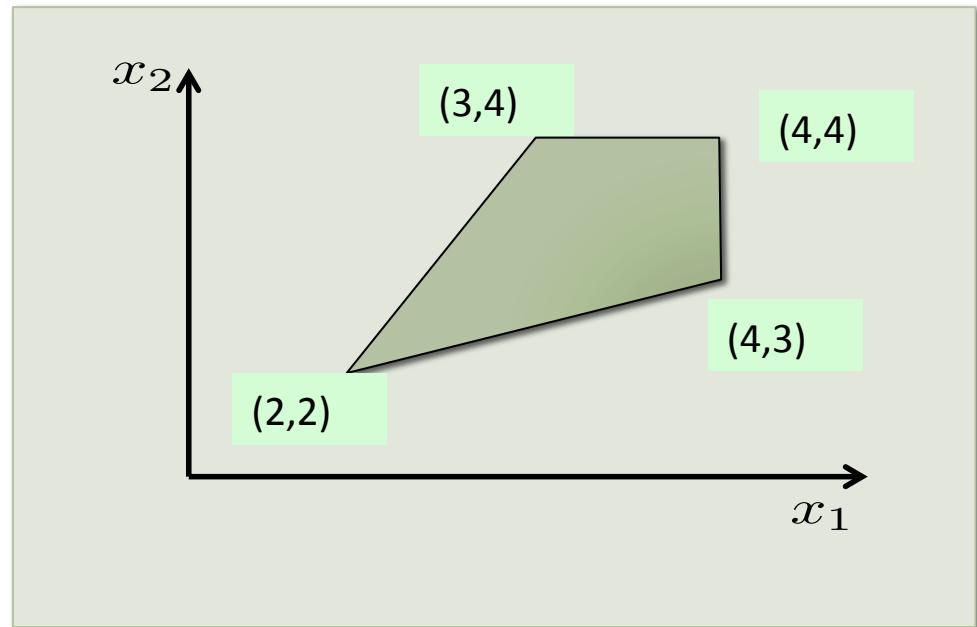
$$\begin{array}{c|cc} \mathbf{y}_n^c & -\mathbf{r} & -P^T \mathbf{y}_b^c \\ \hline \text{Restore Original Obj.} & & \\ \text{Feasible} & & \\ \text{Primal Dictionary} & & \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c|cc} \mathbf{y}_b & \mathbf{q} & +P \mathbf{y}_n \\ \hline w & w_0 & +\mathbf{r}^T \mathbf{y}_n \end{array}$$

Final
Dual
Dictionary

Example

$$\begin{array}{ll}\text{max.} & x_1 + 2x_2 \\ \text{s.t.} & -2x_1 + x_2 \leq -2 \\ & x_2 \leq 4 \\ & x_1 - 2x_2 \leq -2 \\ & x_1 \leq 4 \\ & x_1, x_2 \geq 0\end{array}$$



Example #1: Problem Transformation

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \max & -x_1 - x_2 \\
 \text{s.t.} & -2x_1 + x_2 \leq -2 \\
 & x_2 \leq 4 \\
 & x_1 - 2x_2 \leq -2 \\
 & x_1 \leq 4 \\
 & x_1, x_2 \geq 0
 \end{array}$$



$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \max & 2y_1 - 4y_2 + 2y_3 - 4y_4 \\
 \text{s.t.} & 2y_1 - y_3 - y_4 \leq 1 \\
 & -y_1 - y_2 + 2y_3 \leq 1 \\
 & y_1, \dots, y_4 \geq 0
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{lllll}
 \max & -x_1 - x_2 & & & \\
 \text{s.t.} & -2x_1 + x_2 + x_3 & = & -2 & \\
 & x_2 + x_4 & = & 4 & \\
 & x_1 - 2x_2 + x_5 & = & -2 & \\
 & x_1 + x_6 & = & 4 & \\
 & x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_6 & \geq & 0 &
 \end{array}$$



$$\begin{array}{lllll}
 \max & 2y_1 - 4y_2 + 2y_3 - 4y_4 & & & \\
 \text{s.t.} & 2y_1 - y_3 - y_4 & = & 1 & \\
 & -y_1 - y_2 + 2y_3 & = & 1 & \\
 & y_1, \dots, y_4, y_5, y_6 & \geq & 0 &
 \end{array}$$

Solving the modified dual

$$\begin{array}{lllllll} \max & 2y_1 & -4y_2 & +2y_3 & -4y_4 & & \\ \text{s.t.} & 2y_1 & & -y_3 & -y_4 & +y_5 & = 1 \\ & -y_1 & -y_2 & +2y_3 & & +y_6 & = 1 \\ & & & & & y_1, \dots, y_4, y_5, y_6 & \geq 0 \end{array}$$

y_5	1	$-2y_1$		$+y_3$	$+y_4$	
y_6	1	$+y_1$	$+y_2$	$-2y_3$		
w	0	$+2y_1$	$-4y_2$	$+2y_3$	$-4y_4$	

y_1 enters and y_5 leaves

Solving the modified dual (step 2)

y_1	0.5	$-0.5y_5$	$+0.5y_3 + 0.5y_4$	
y_6	1.5	$-0.5y_5 + 1y_2 - 1.5y_3 + 0.5y_4$		
w	1	$-1y_5 - 4y_2 + 3y_3 - 3y_4$		

y_3 enters and y_6 leaves

Solving the modified dual (step 3)

y_1	1	$-\frac{2}{3}y_5 + \frac{1}{3}y_2 - \frac{1}{3}y_6 + \frac{2}{3}y_4$
y_3	1	$-\frac{1}{3}y_5 + \frac{2}{3}y_2 - \frac{2}{3}y_6 + \frac{1}{3}y_4$
w	4	$-2y_5 - 2y_2 - 2y_6 - 2y_4$

Final Dual Dictionary

Convert Dual back to Primal

$$\begin{array}{lllll}
 \max & -x_1 - x_2 \\
 \text{s.t.} & -2x_1 + x_2 + \color{red}{x_3} & = & -2 \\
 & x_2 + \color{red}{x_4} & = & 4 \\
 & x_1 - 2x_2 + \color{red}{x_5} & = & -2 \\
 & x_1 + \color{red}{x_6} & = & 4 \\
 & x_1, x_2, \color{red}{x_3}, \dots, x_6 & \geq & 0
 \end{array}$$



$$\begin{array}{lllll}
 \max & 2y_1 & -4y_2 & +2y_3 & -4y_4 \\
 \text{s.t.} & 2y_1 & & -y_3 & -y_4 + \color{red}{y_5} = & 1 \\
 & -y_1 & -y_2 & +2y_3 & + \color{red}{y_6} = & 1 \\
 & & & & y_1, \dots, y_4, \color{red}{y_5}, \color{red}{y_6} & \geq 0
 \end{array}$$

x_1	y_5
x_2	y_6
x_3	y_1
x_4	y_2
x_5	y_3
x_6	y_4

Conversion to Primal Dictionary

$$\begin{array}{c|ccccc} y_1 & 1 & -\frac{2}{3}y_5 + \frac{1}{3}y_2 & -\frac{1}{3}y_6 + \frac{2}{3}y_4 \\ \hline y_3 & 1 & -\frac{1}{3}y_5 + \frac{2}{3}y_2 & -\frac{2}{3}y_6 + \frac{1}{3}y_4 \\ \hline w & 4 & -2y_5 & -2y_2 & -2y_6 & -2y_4 \end{array}$$



$$\begin{array}{c|ccc} x_1 & 2 & +\frac{2}{3}x_3 & +\frac{1}{3}x_5 \\ x_4 & 2 & -\frac{1}{3}x_3 & -\frac{2}{3}x_5 \\ x_2 & 2 & +\frac{1}{3}x_3 & +\frac{2}{3}x_5 \\ x_6 & 2 & -\frac{2}{3}x_3 & -\frac{1}{3}x_5 \\ \hline w & -4 & -x_3 & -x_5 \end{array}$$

x_1	y_5
x_2	y_6
x_3	y_1
x_4	y_2
x_5	y_3
x_6	y_4

Initialization: Restoring Objective

x_1	2	$+\frac{2}{3}x_3$	$+\frac{1}{3}x_5$
x_4	2	$-\frac{1}{3}x_3$	$-\frac{2}{3}x_5$
x_2	2	$+\frac{1}{3}x_3$	$+\frac{2}{3}x_5$
x_6	2	$-\frac{2}{3}x_3$	$-\frac{1}{3}x_5$
Z	$6 + \frac{4}{3}x_3 + \frac{5}{3}x_5$		

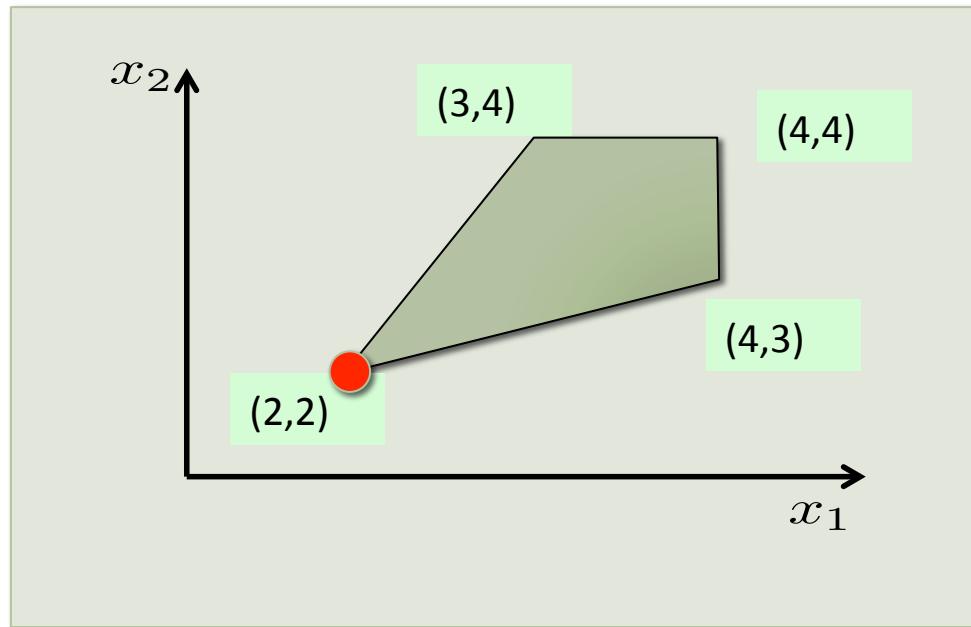
$$\begin{aligned} z &= x_1 + 2x_2 \\ &= 2 + \frac{2}{3}x_3 + \frac{1}{3}x_5 + 2(2 + \frac{1}{3}x_3 + \frac{2}{3}x_5) \\ &= 6 + \frac{4}{3}x_3 + \frac{5}{3}x_5 \end{aligned}$$

Initial Feasible Dictionary Found.
We can now proceed to optimize!!

Example

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \text{max.} & x_1 + 2x_2 \\
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 \end{array}$$

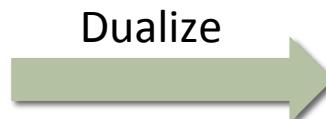
	x_1	x_2	x_3	x_4	x_5	x_6	Z
x_1	2	$+\frac{2}{3}x_3$	$+\frac{1}{3}x_5$				
x_4	2	$-\frac{1}{3}x_3$	$-\frac{2}{3}x_5$				
x_2	2	$+\frac{1}{3}x_3$	$+\frac{2}{3}x_5$				
x_6	2	$-\frac{2}{3}x_3$	$-\frac{1}{3}x_5$				
Z	-	$6 + \frac{4}{3}x_3 + \frac{5}{3}x_5$					



Initialization Using Dual

$$\begin{array}{ll} \max \mathbf{d}^T \mathbf{x} \\ A \mathbf{x} \leq \mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{x} \geq 0 \end{array}$$

\mathbf{d} has all negative entries



$$\begin{array}{ll} \max -\mathbf{b}^T \mathbf{y} \\ -A^T \mathbf{y} \leq -\mathbf{d} \\ \mathbf{y} \geq 0 \end{array}$$

Optimization
Phase Simplex



\mathbf{y}_b	\mathbf{q}	$+P \mathbf{y}_n$
w	w_0	$+ \mathbf{r}^T \mathbf{y}_n$

Final
Dual
Dictionary

Unbounded!

Original primal problem
is infeasible.

INFEASIBLE PROBLEM EXAMPLE

Infeasible Problem Example

$$\begin{array}{lllll} \max & -x_1 & -x_2 & -x_3 \\ \text{s.t.} & x_1 & -x_2 & & \leq 5 \\ & & x_2 & -x_3 & \leq 4 \\ & -x_1 & & +2x_3 & \leq -10 \\ & x_1, & x_2, & x_3 & \geq 0 \end{array}$$

Initial Primal Dictionary

x_4	5	$-x_1$	$+x_2$	
x_5	4		$-x_2$	$+x_3$
x_6	-10	$+x_1$		$-2x_3$
z		$-x_1$	$-x_2$	$-x_3$

Infeasible



Dualize

y_4	1	$+y_1$		$-y_3$
y_5	1	$-y_1$	$+y_2$	
y_6	1		$-y_2$	$+2y_3$
w	0	$-5y_1$	$-4y_2$	$+10y_3$

Feasible!

Dual Simplex Method

y_4	1	$+y_1$		$-y_3$
y_5	1	$-y_1$	$+y_2$	
y_6	1		$-y_2$	$+2y_3$
w	0	$-5y_1$	$-4y_2$	$+10y_3$



y_3 enters
 y_4 leaves

y_3	1	$+y_1$		$-y_4$
y_5	1	$-y_1$	$+y_2$	
y_6	3	$+2y_1$	$-y_2$	$-2y_4$
w	10	$+5y_1$	$-4y_2$	$-10y_4$

y_1 enters
 y_5 leaves



DUAL UNBOUNDED
= PRIMAL INFEASIBLE

y_3	2	$-y_5$	$+y_2$	$-y_4$
y_1	1	$-y_5$	$+y_2$	
y_6	5	$-2y_5$	$+y_2$	$-2y_4$
w	15	$-5y_5$	$+y_2$	$-10y_4$

Initialization Using Dual (Summary)

- ① Change problem objective to $\sum_{j=1}^n -x_j$
- ② Construct initial primal dictionary D_0
- ③ Convert to dual dictionary.
- ④ Perform optimization phase simplex on dual.
- ⑤ If UNBOUNDED, original primal is INFEASIBLE.
- ⑥ If Optimal Solution found,
 - a) Convert back to primal
 - b) Restore original objective function.

SIMPLEX: REVISED SIMPLEX METHOD

Revised Simplex Method

Original LP

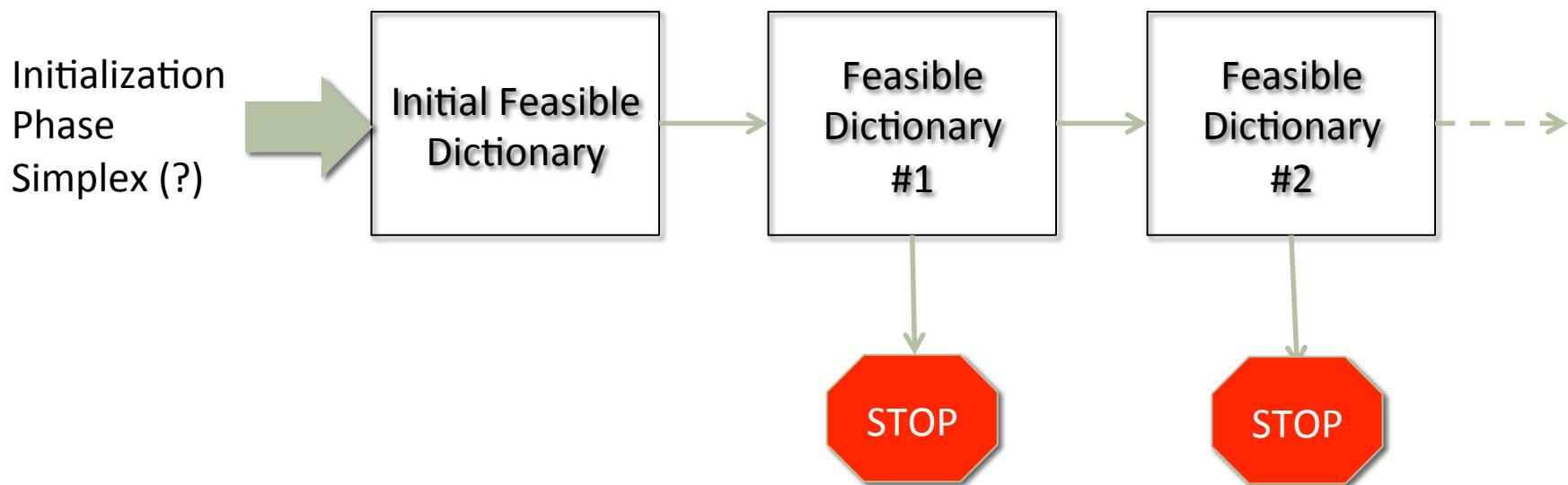
n decision variables
 m rows in A .

$$\begin{array}{lll} \max & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ & A\mathbf{x} \leq \mathbf{b} \\ & \mathbf{x} \geq 0 \end{array}$$



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Standard Simplex Method



Complexity of Each Pivoting Operation

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x_{B1} & = & b_1 + a_{11}x_{I1} + \cdots + \cancel{a_{1j}}x_{Ij} + \cdots + a_{1n}x_{In} \\ x_{B2} & = & b_2 + a_{21}x_{I1} + \cdots + \cancel{a_{2j}}x_{Ij} + \cdots + a_{2n}x_{In} \\ & \vdots & \\ x_{Bm} & = & b_m + a_{m1}x_{I1} + \cdots + \cancel{a_{mj}}x_{Ij} + \cdots + a_{mn}x_{In} \\ \hline z & = & c_0 + c_1x_{I1} + \cdots + \cancel{c_jx_{Ij}} + \cdots + c_nx_{In} \end{array}$$

Choice of Entering Variable: $O(n)$

Choice of Leaving Variable: $O(m)$

Updating Dictionary: $O(m * n)$

Storage: $O(m * n)$ floating point numbers

Problems with Standard Simplex Algorithm

- Storage Cost is High.

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x_{B1} & = & b_1 + a_{11}x_{I1} + \cdots + \color{red}{a_{1j}}x_{Ij} + \cdots + a_{1n}x_{In} \\ x_{B2} & = & b_2 + a_{21}x_{I1} + \cdots + \color{red}{a_{2j}}x_{Ij} + \cdots + a_{2n}x_{In} \\ & \vdots & \\ x_{Bm} & = & b_m + a_{m1}x_{I1} + \cdots + \color{red}{a_{mj}}x_{Ij} + \cdots + a_{mn}x_{In} \\ \hline z & = & c_0 + c_1x_{I1} + \cdots + \color{red}{c_jx_{Ij}} + \cdots + c_nx_{In} \end{array}$$

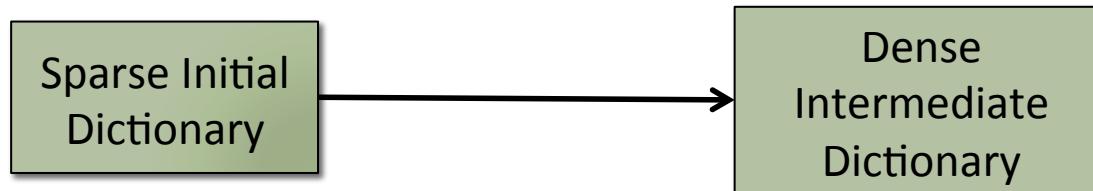
- Sparsity of Original Problem is Lost.
- Accumulation of Floating Point Errors over number of iterations.

Problem # 1 : Storage Cost

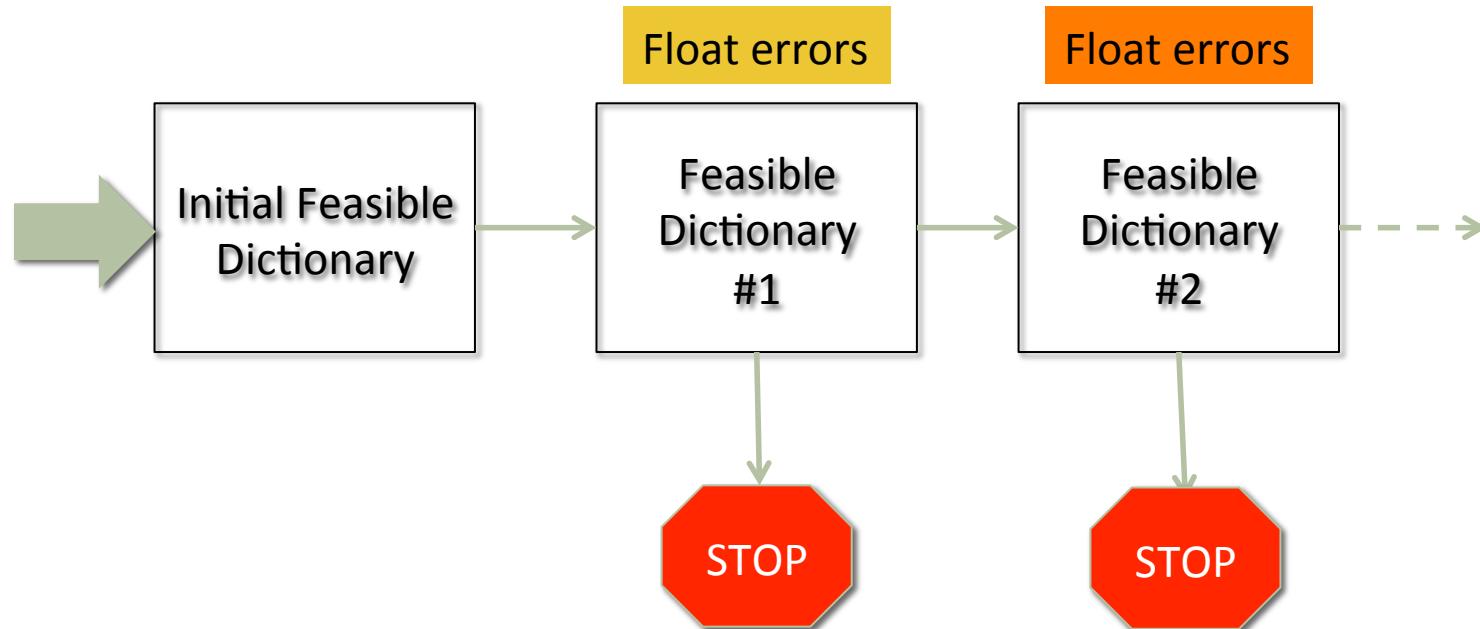
- Typical problem size.
 - $m = 500$ and $n = 10000$
- Cost of storing dictionary: 5×10^6 floating point numbers.
 - Approx. 20 MB

Problem #2: Loss in Sparsity

- Most practical LP instances are sparse.
- Lots of variables in the problem.
- But each inequality involves few variables.
- Fill In Problem:



Problem #3: Floating Point Error Accumulation



Revised Simplex Method

- **Basic Idea:** Do not store the intermediate dictionary.
- Store the set of basic and non-basic variables.
- At each step, **reconstruct** dictionary from data:
 - Original problem data: A, b, c
 - Set of basic (and non-basic) variables: B

Storage Cost:

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Recap: Dictionary Reconstruction

$$\begin{array}{lll} \max & \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x} \\ & A\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{x}_S = \mathbf{b} \\ & \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}_S \geq 0 \end{array}$$



$$\frac{\mathbf{x}_B}{z} = \frac{\hat{\mathbf{b}} + \hat{A}\mathbf{x}_I}{z_0 + \hat{c}\mathbf{x}_I}$$

$$B = \{x_{B1}, \dots, x_{Bm}\}$$

Basic Variables

Recap: Splitting the Matrix

$$A : \begin{bmatrix} \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \\ A_1 & A_2 & \cdots & A_{B1} & \cdots & A_{Bm} & \cdots & A_m \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

The diagram illustrates the splitting of a large matrix A into two smaller matrices, A_I and A_B . The matrix A is represented by a large bracketed expression with vertical ellipses for both rows and columns. It contains several sub-matrices: A_1, A_2, \dots, A_m along the main diagonal, and A_{B1}, A_{Bm}, \dots which are red-colored. Dashed arrows point from the main diagonal elements A_1, A_2, \dots, A_m to a dashed box labeled A_I . Red arrows point from the red-colored elements A_{B1}, A_{Bm}, \dots to a red label A_B .

Recap: Rewriting the Equation

$$A\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{x}_s = \mathbf{b}$$



$$A_B \mathbf{x}_B + A_I \mathbf{x}_I = b$$



$$A_B \mathbf{x}_B = \mathbf{b} - A_I \mathbf{x}_I$$

Is A_B always invertible?

Recap: Dictionary Reconstruction

$$A_B \mathbf{x}_B = \mathbf{b} - A_I \mathbf{x}_I$$



$$\mathbf{x}_B = A_B^{-1} \mathbf{b} - A_B^{-1} A_I \mathbf{x}_I$$

Is A_B always invertible?

Recap: Result Dictionary

$$\mathbf{c}^\top \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{c}_B^\top \mathbf{x}_B + \mathbf{c}_I^\top \mathbf{x}_I$$

$$\frac{\mathbf{x}_B}{\mathbf{c}} = \frac{A_B^{-1} \mathbf{b}}{\mathbf{c}_B^\top A_B^{-1} \mathbf{b} + (-\mathbf{c}_B^\top A_B^{-1} A_I + \mathbf{c}_I^\top) \mathbf{x}_I}$$

Invert matrix A_B : $O(m^3)$ (Gauss-Jordan).

Compute $A_B^{-1} \times A_I$ takes $O(m^2 n)$.

Compute $A_B^{-1} \mathbf{b}$ takes $O(m^2)$

Overall complexity: $O(m^2 * (m + n))$.

REVISED SIMPLEX: BASIS FACTORIZATION

Reducing the complexity of revised
Simplex method.

$$\pi A_B = \mathbf{c}_B^\top$$

$$\hat{\mathbf{c}} = \mathbf{c}_I^\top - \pi A_I$$

Entering Variable
Analysis

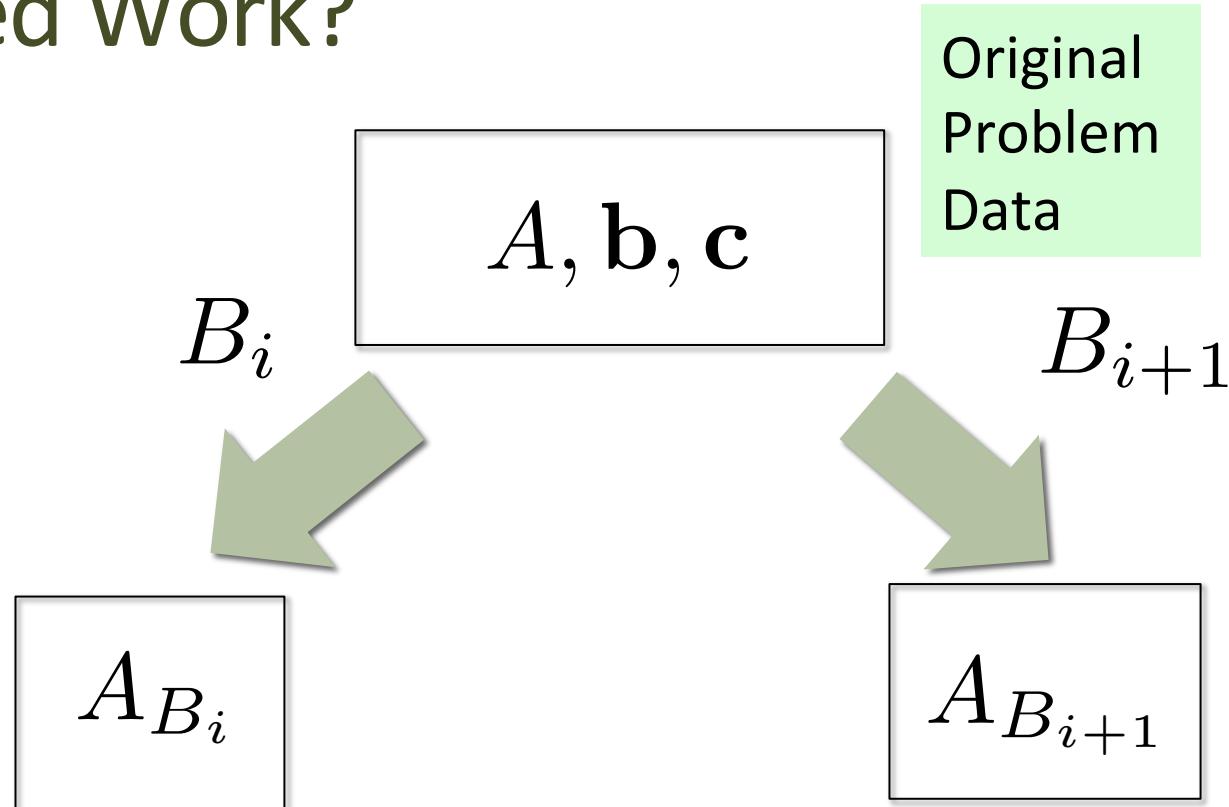
$$A_B \hat{\mathbf{b}} = \mathbf{b}$$

$$A_B \hat{\mathbf{a}}_j = -A_j$$

Leaving Variable
Analysis

Update
New
Basis

Wasted Work?



Ideas

1. How does basis matrix A_P change when we move from one vertex to another?
 2. Can we reuse information from previous vertices?
- Using Δ matrix.
 - Eta Matrix.
 - Updating the basis matrix (Forrest-Tomlin Method).

Practical Simplex
implementations use these ideas + a lot more!

Understanding how the basis changes.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 7 & -15 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & 6 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 12 \\ 4 \\ 16 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{c} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B = \{3, 6, 7, 8\}$$

x_4 enters and x_8 leaves

How is the basis updated?

$$A_B : \begin{bmatrix} \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \\ A_1 & A_2 & \cdots & A_i & \cdots & A_m \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \end{bmatrix} \quad \boxed{\text{OLD}}$$

$$\widetilde{A}_B : \begin{bmatrix} \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \\ A_1 & A_2 & \cdots & A_k & \cdots & A_m \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \end{bmatrix} \quad \boxed{\text{NEW}}$$

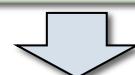
USING SHERMAN-MORRISON-WOODBURY FORMULA

Understanding the basis update

$$\tilde{A}_B = A_B + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & \cdots & (A_k - A_i) & \cdots & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{A}_B : \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 & 0 & 15 \\ -4 & 1 & 0 & 6 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad A_B : \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -4 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Understanding the basis update

$$\tilde{A}_B = A_B + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & \cdots & (A_k - A_i) & \cdots & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(A_k - A_i) \times (0 \ 0 \cdots \textcolor{red}{1} \ 0 \cdots 0)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 15 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 15 \\ 6 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \times (0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1)$$

Sherman-Morrison-Woodbury (SMW) Formula

$$(A + \mathbf{u}\mathbf{v}^\top)^{-1} = A^{-1} - \frac{A^{-1}\mathbf{u}\mathbf{v}^\top A^{-1}}{1 + \mathbf{v}^\top A^{-1} \mathbf{u}}$$

$$\widetilde{A}_B = A_B + \underbrace{(A_k - A_i)}_{\mathbf{u}} \times \underbrace{\mathbf{e}_i^\top}_{\mathbf{v}^\top}$$

SMW formula for inverse update

$$\widetilde{A_B}^{-1} = \left(I - \frac{(\hat{a}_k - \mathbf{e_i}) \times \mathbf{e_i}^\top}{\hat{a}_k(i)} \right) A_B^{-1}$$

where, $\hat{a}_k = A_B^{-1} A_k$

Example

$$A_B : \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -4 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{A}_B = A_B + \begin{pmatrix} 15 \\ 6 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \times (0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1)$$

$$\tilde{A}_B : \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 & 0 & 15 \\ -4 & 1 & 0 & 6 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{A}_B^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 6.8 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1.9333 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -0.4666 \end{bmatrix} \times A_B^{-1}$$

Summary

$$A_{B_i}^{-1} \xrightarrow{O(m^2) \text{ steps}} A_{B_{i+1}}^{-1}$$

Matrix $A_{B_{i+1}}^{-1}$ is no longer sparse.

Extra storage cost: $O(m^2)$

ETA FACTORIZATION

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where, $\hat{a}_k = A_B^{-1} A_k$

Eta Matrix

Basis Update

$$A_{B_i}^{-1} \xrightarrow{O(m^2) \text{ steps}} A_{B_{i+1}}^{-1}$$

Matrix $A_{B_{i+1}}^{-1}$ is no longer sparse.

Extra storage cost: $O(m^2)$

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$$A_{B_i}^{-1} = E_i^{-1} E_{i-1}^{-1} \cdots E_1^{-1} A_1^{-1}$$

Each E_j is sparse: requires $O(m)$ storage.