Linear Optimization: Assignment 1

$$\begin{array}{lll} \max & z = x_1 + 12x_2 \\ \text{s.t.} & 3x_1 + & x_2 + 12x_3 \leq 5 \\ & x_1 & + & x_3 \leq 16 \\ & 15x_1 + & x_2 & = 14 \\ & x_j \geq 0, \quad j = 1, 2, 3. \end{array}$$

1.17 (a)

min
$$c_1x_1 + c_2x_2 + c_3x_3 + c_4x_4$$

s.t. $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 \ge K$
 $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 \le M$
 $P_1x_1 + P_2x_2 + P_3x_3 + P_4x_4 \le PM$
 $N_1x_1 + N_2x_2 + N_3x_3 + N_4x_4 \le NM$
 $x_j \ge 0, \quad j = 1, \dots, 4$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned} & \min & c_1x_1 & + c_2x_2 & + c_3x_3 & + c_4x_4 \\ & \text{s.t.} & x_1 & + x_2 & + x_3 & + x_4 \geq K \\ & x_1 & + x_2 & + x_3 & + x_4 \leq M \\ & (P_1 - P)x_1 + (P_2 - P)x_2 + (P_3 - P)x_3 + (P_4 - P)x_4 \leq 0 \\ & (N_1x - N)_1 + (N_2 - N)x_2 + (N_3 - N)x_3 + (N_4 - N)x_4 \leq 0 \\ & x_j \geq 0, \quad j = 1, 2, 3, 4 \end{aligned}$$

1.18 (a)

$$\begin{array}{lll} \min & \sum_{i=1}^4 c_i x_{1,i} + \sum_{i=1}^4 c_i x_{2,i} & + \sum_{i=1}^4 c_i x_{3,i} \\ \text{s.t.} & \sum_{i=1}^4 x_{1,i} & \geq K_A \\ & \sum_{i=1}^4 x_{2,i} & \geq K_B \\ & \sum_{i=1}^4 x_{3,i} \geq K_C \\ & \sum_{i=1}^4 x_{1,i} & \leq M_1 \\ & \sum_{i=1}^4 x_{2,i} & \leq M_2 \\ & \sum_{i=1}^4 x_{3,i} \leq M_1 + M_2 \\ & \sum_{i=1}^4 P_i x_{1,i} & \geq P_S M_1 \\ & \sum_{i=1}^4 P_i x_{2,i} & \geq P_B M_2 \\ & \sum_{i=1}^4 P_i (x_{1,i} + x_{2,i} + x_{3,i}) \geq P_S (M_1 + M_2) \\ & \sum_{i=1}^4 N_i x_{1,i} & \geq N_S M_1 \\ & \sum_{i=1}^4 N_i x_{2,i} & \geq N_B M_2 \\ & \sum_{i=1}^4 N_i (x_{1,i} + x_{2,i} + x_{3,i}) \geq N_S (M_1 + M_2) \\ & x_{i,j} \geq 0, & i = 1, 2, 3, j = 1, 2, 3, 4 \end{array}$$

- (b) The c_i 's, P_i 's and N_i 's will unique for each plant thus we will have $c_{p,i}$'s, $P_{p,i}$ and $N_{p,i}$ for $p \in \{A, B, C\}$.
- 1.20 We shall let t denote the $t+6 \mod 12$ month of the year, i.e. t=0 is June and t=10 is April. Let $x_t=x_t^+-x_t^-$ denote the change in production from month t to month t+1 and d_t denote the sales forecast for month t. Letting the units to be in thousands below:

$$\min \quad 0.5 \sum_{t=0}^{11} x_t^+ + 0.25 \sum_{t=0}^{11} x_t^-$$
 s.t.
$$4 + x_0 + 2 - d_1 \leq 10$$

$$4 + x_0 + 2 - d_1 + 4 + \sum_{t=0}^{1} x_t - d_2 \leq 10$$

$$2(4) + \sum_{t=0}^{1} (2-t)x_t + 2 - \sum_{i=1}^{2} d_t + 4 + \sum_{t=0}^{2} x_t - d_3 \leq 10$$

$$3(4) + \sum_{t=0}^{2} (3-t)x_t + 2 - \sum_{i=1}^{3} d_t + 4 + \sum_{t=0}^{3} x_t - d_4 \leq 10$$

$$\vdots \qquad \vdots \qquad \vdots \qquad \vdots \qquad \vdots$$

$$11(4) + \sum_{t=0}^{10} (11-t)x_t + 2 - \sum_{i=1}^{11} d_t + 4 + \sum_{t=0}^{11} x_t - d_{12} \leq 10$$

$$x_i^+, x_i^- \geq 0, \quad i = 1, \dots, 12$$

1.25 We first list down the different ways such that a 100-inch roll can be cut into combinations of 24-, 40-, and 32-inch widths. Let x_i denote the number of combination i used.

Combination	24	40	32	trim waste	
1	4	0	0	4	
2	0	2	0	20	
3	0	0	3	4	
4	1	1	1	4	
5	2	1	0	12	
6	2	0	1	20	
7	1	0	2	12	

$$\begin{array}{lllll} \min & 4x_1 + 20x_2 + 4x_3 + 4x_4 + 12x_5 + 20x_6 + 12x_7 \\ \mathrm{s.t.} & 4x_1 & + x_4 & + 2x_5 & + 2x_6 & + x_7 \geq 75 \\ & & 2x_2 & + x_4 & + x_5 & \geq 50 \\ & & 3x_3 & + x_4 & + x_6 & + 2x_7 \geq 110 \\ & x_j \geq 0, \quad j = 1, \dots, 7 \end{array}$$

2.7 Letting the units be in thousands below:

$$\max 2x_1 + 1.8x_2$$
s.t.
$$x_1 + x_2 \le 10$$

$$2x_1 + x_2 \le 9$$

$$x_1, x_2 \ge 0$$

2.8 Let the units be in pounds below, and x_1, x_2 and x_3 denoting amount of ingredient A, B and C used respectively.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \min & 4x_1 + 3x_2 + 2x_3 \\ \text{s.t.} & x_1 & \geq 200 \\ & x_2 & \geq 400 \\ & x_3 \leq 800 \\ x_1, x_2, x_3 \geq 0 \end{array}$$

The bounded-variable simplex method cannot be used to solve this problem as it will lead to a matrix A that is of not full rank.

2.9 Phase I:

2.12

2.13

(-w)	0	0	0	
x_6	1	0	0	9
x_7	1	0	0	4
x_{8}	1	0	0	6