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# Instances for the Multidimensional Knapsack Problem (MKP)

This page lists the instance data we used in an article titled “An efficient parallelization strategy for dynamic programming on GPU”, by Karl-Eduard Berger and François Galea, submitted to the [Third Workshop on Parallel Computing and Optimization](#) of the [IEEE IPDPS 2013](#) conference.

## Generating MKP instances

We generated the instances by randomly choosing the weights between 0 and a maximum value - 1. For a good correlation factor, we used as the profit value for a given item the sum of its weights plus 5.

The file format description is the same as described [here](#).

One-dimensional instances have been adapted from [KP instances by Boyer et al.](#)

## Problem instances

Here is the list of our tested problem instances.

name	dimension	KS size	max weight	#items	optimal value
1.1	1	2484605	1000	10000	2839205
1.2	1	4989314	1000	20000	5696964
1.3	1	7457511	1000	30000	8519711
1.4	1	9974822	1000	40000	11389722
1.5	1	12467998	1000	50000	14236498
1.6	1	14963112	1000	60000	17085362
1.7	1	17468298	1000	70000	19943498
1.8	1	19957832	1000	80000	22786832
1.9	1	22457026	1000	90000	25640126
1.10	1	24967272	1000	100000	28503272
2.1	2	3000	20	600	8025
2.2	2	5000	40	500	11695
2.3	2	7500	50	600	16970
3.1	3	300	10	120	1305
3.2	3	400	10	160	1735
3.3	3	600	15	160	2320
3.4	3	600	12	200	2470
4.1	4	80	10	32	424
4.2	4	90	10	36	473
4.3	4	120	10	48	630

4.4	4	120	8	60	680
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You can download our instance data files through [this link](#).

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