

Linear Programming Problem

Week-14

LPP : Maximizing or minimizing a linear function under some linear constraints is called LPP.

Mathematical formulation of LPP

Maximizing $Z = C^T x$ \rightarrow Objective function

Subject to $Ax \leq b$ \rightarrow Constraints

$b, x \geq 0$ \rightarrow non negative restriction

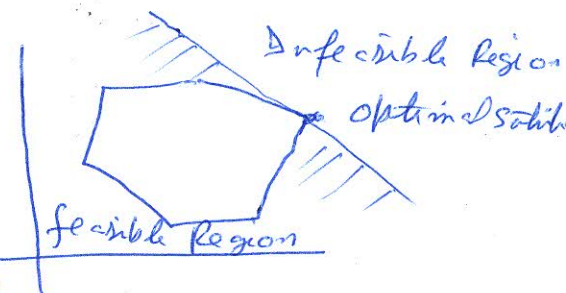
where

$$C = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \\ \vdots \\ c_n \end{pmatrix}, \quad b = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ \vdots \\ b_m \end{pmatrix}, \quad x = (x_1, \dots, x_n), \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{pmatrix}$$

We can solve LPP by Three methods

- (i) Graphical method
- (ii) Simplex method
- (iii) Dual Simplex method

\Rightarrow In Simplex method we move from one feasible point to another feasible point and reach the optimal solution



In dual Simplex we move from infeasible to region to optimal solution

Q. Using Graphical method to solve

Max $Z = 3x_1 + 2x_2$ --- (1)

Subject to $x_1 + x_2 \leq 4$ --- (2)

$x_1 - x_2 \leq 2$ --- (3)

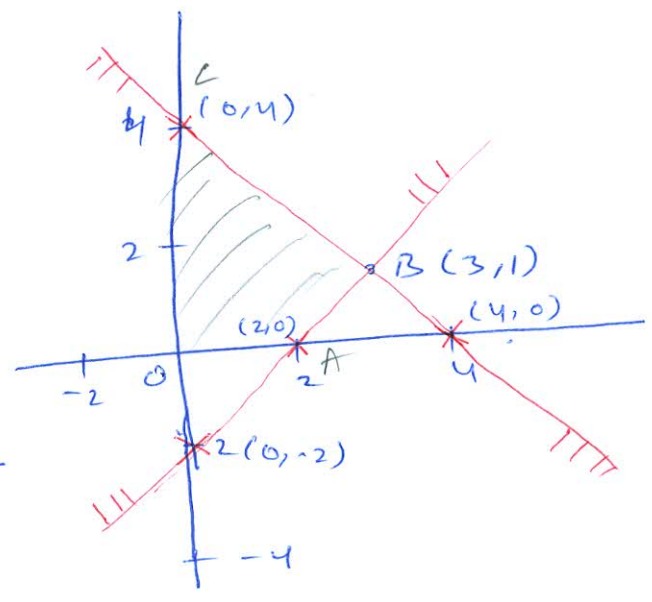
$(x_1, x_2) \geq 0$

Soln: for equation (2)

$$x_1 + x_2 = 4$$

x_1	0	4
x_2	4	0

Since $0 + 0 \leq 4$ true
feasible region lie on the origin



for equation (3)

$$x_1 - x_2 = 2$$

x_1	0	2
x_2	-2	0

Since $0 - 0 \leq 2$ true
 \therefore origin lie in the feasible region

Now find the coordinates of B

$$\begin{array}{r} x_1 + x_2 = 4 \\ x_1 - x_2 = 2 \\ \hline 2x_2 = 2 \\ x_2 = 1 \end{array}$$

Put in (1) $x_1 + 1 = 4$
 $x_1 = 3$

Now Draw the table

S.No	Corner Points	Value of $Z = 3x_1 + 2x_2$
1	A(2,0)	$3 \times 2 + 2 \times 0 = 6$
2	B(3,1)	$3 \times 3 + 2 \times 1 = 11$
3	C(0,4)	$3 \times 0 + 2 \times 4 = 8$
4	O(0,0)	$3 \times 0 + 2 \times 0 = 0$

The maximum value of Z occurs at B(3,1)
hence the optimal solution is $x_1 = 3, x_2 = 1$

Use Simplex method to solve the LPP

$$\text{Max } Z = 3x_1 + 2x_2$$

$$\text{Subject to } \begin{aligned} x_1 + x_2 &\leq 4 \\ x_1 - x_2 &\leq 2 \\ (x_1, x_2) &\geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Soln: We solve this problem in 4 steps

Step 1: Write in standard form by introducing a slack & surplus variable

$$\text{Max } Z = 3x_1 + 2x_2 + 0s_1 + 0s_2$$

$$\text{Subject to } x_1 + x_2 + s_1 = 4$$

$$x_1 - x_2 + s_2 = 2$$

$$(x_1, x_2, s_1, s_2) \geq 0$$

Step 2: Since we have 4 variables and 2 equations so $4 - 2 = 2$ variables equal to zero, let $x_1 = x_2 = 0$ so $s_1 = 4, s_2 = 2$

Step 3: Draw the table

CB	Basis	Solutions ^{c_j}	x ₁	x ₂	s ₁	s ₂	Ratio
0	s ₁	4	1	1	1	0	$4/1 = 4$ ← Pivot Row
0	s ₂	2	① ← Pivot element	-1	0	1	$2/1 = 2$ ← minimum Ratio
	Z _j	6	0	0	0	0	
	Z _j - C _j	0	-3	-2	0	0	

↑ most -ve value
→ Pivoted column

Step 4: check optimality : we set -ve value in Z_j-C_j Row, Now draw Max table

divide the Pivoted element in Pivoted Row.

Now apply the Row operation

$$\begin{aligned} R_1 &\rightarrow R_1 - R_2 \\ R_2 &\rightarrow R_2 + 3R_2 \end{aligned}$$

so that the Pivoted element is 1 and above & below of Pivoted element is 0.

Basis	Solution	x_1	x_2	s_1	s_2	Ratio
$R_1 \rightarrow R_1 - R_2 \rightarrow S_1$	2	0	2	1	-1	$2/2 = 1 \leftarrow$
x_1	2	1	-1	0	1	$2/1 = 2$
$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + 3R_2 \rightarrow$	6	0	-5	0	3	

Range

old value - key column entry \times New key Row

$4 - 1 \times 2 = 2$	$0 - (-3) \times 2 = 6$
$1 - 1 \times 1 = 0$	$-2 + 3(-1) = -5$
$1 - 1 \times (-1) = 2$	$0 - (-3) \times 0 = 0$
$1 - 1 \times 0 = 1$	$0 + 3 + 1 = 3$
$0 - 1 \times 1 = -1$	

Now Repeat the process again

divid the whole Row by 2

	x_1	x_2	s_1	s_2
x_2	1	1	$1/2$	$-1/2$
x_1	1	-1	0	1
	0	-5	0	3

Now apply the Row operation on R_2 & R_3 so that they become 0

$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 + R_1$ and $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + 5R_1$

	Solution	x_1	x_2	s_1	s_2	Ratio
x_2	1	0	1	$1/2$	$-1/2$	
x_1	3	1	0	$1/2$	$1/2$	
	11	0	0	$5/2$	$1/2$	

Since all $Z_j - C_j \geq 0$, The Solution is optimum.

The optimal solution is $\max Z = 11, x_1 = 3, x_2 = 1$

Note: (compare with the graphical method) we get same solution

Solve Graphically

Max $Z = x + 1.2y$ — (1)

Subject to $2x + y \leq 180$ — (2)

$x + 3y \leq 300$ — (3)

$x, y \geq 0$

from (2)

x	90	0
y	0	180

$2 \times 0 \leq 180$ true
So feasible region lies in the first quadrant

from (3)

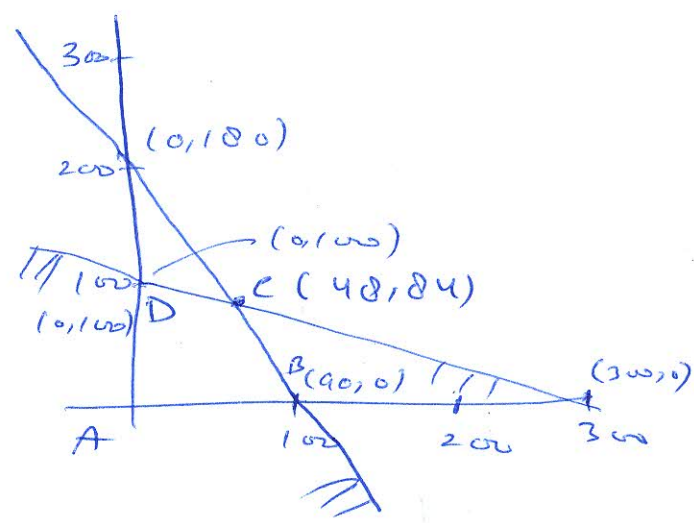
x	0	300
y	100	0

$0 + 3 \times 0 \leq 300$ true
So feasible in the origin

Solve (2) & (3)

$x = 48$ and $y = 84$

Vertex	$Z = x + 1.2y$
A (0, 0)	0
B (90, 0)	90
C (48, 84)	148.8
D (0, 100)	120



Q Solve the Linear Programming Problem by graphical method

Max $Z = 50x + 18y$

subject to $2x + y \leq 100$ — (1)

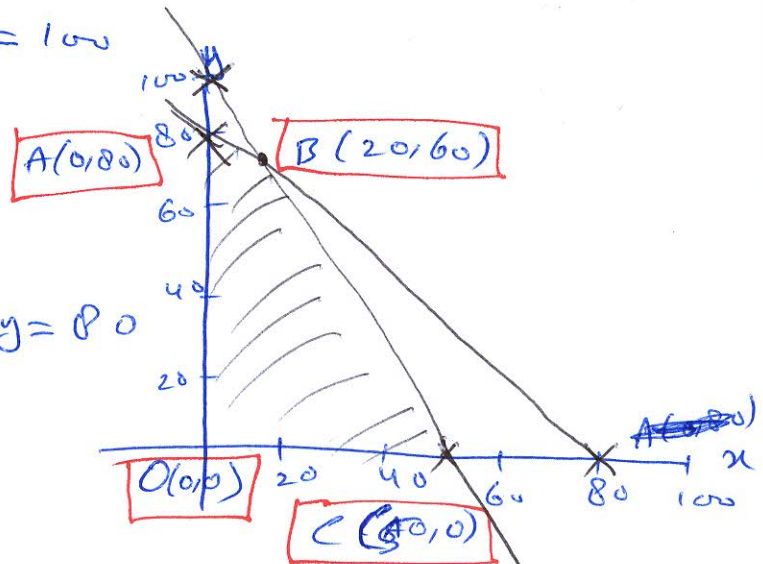
$x + y \leq 80$ — (2)

$x \geq 0, y \geq 0$

Soln: Since $x, y \geq 0$ we consider only first quadrant

Now for line (1) $2x + y = 100$

x	0	50
y	100	0



Similarly for line (2) $x + y = 80$

x	0	80
y	80	0

So the feasible region is $O(0,0)$, $A(0,80)$, $B(20,60)$, $C(50,0)$

Points	$Z = 50x + 18y$
$O(0,0)$	0
$A(0,80)$	1440
$B(20,60)$	2080
$C(50,0)$	2500

Since our Object is to maximize Z So the optimal solution is

$x = 50$ and $y = 0$

The optimal value is 2500