

# Problem-Set 08

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## Exercises

**Ex. 1**

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**Ex. 2**

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Maximize } d_y \\ & \text{Subject to } d_s = 0 \\ & d_t \leq d_s + w(s, t) \\ & d_y \leq d_s + w(s, y) \\ & d_y \leq d_t + w(t, y) \\ & d_x \leq d_t + w(t, x) \\ & d_t \leq d_y + w(y, t) \\ & d_x \leq d_y + w(y, x) \\ & d_z \leq d_y + w(y, z) \\ & d_z \leq d_x + w(x, z) \\ & d_x \leq d_z + w(z, x) \\ & d_s \leq d_z + w(z, s) \end{aligned}$$

**Ex. 3**

$$\text{Maximize } \sum_{v \in V} f_{sv} - \sum_{v \in V} f_{vs}$$

$$\text{Subject to } f_{s,v_1} \leq c(s, v_1)$$

$$f_{s,v_2} \leq c(s, v_2)$$

$$f_{v_1,v_3} \leq c(v_1, v_3)$$

$$f_{v_2,v_1} \leq c(v_2, v_1)$$

$$f_{v_2,v_4} \leq c(v_2, v_4)$$

$$f_{v_3,v_2} \leq c(v_3, v_2)$$

$$f_{v_3,t} \leq c(v_3, t)$$

$$f_{v_4,v_3} \leq c(v_4, v_3)$$

$$f_{v_4,t} \leq c(v_4, t)$$

$$\sum_{v \in V} f_{v_1v} = \sum_{v \in V} f_{vv_1}$$

$$\sum_{v \in V} f_{v_2v} = \sum_{v \in V} f_{vv_2}$$

$$\sum_{v \in V} f_{v_3v} = \sum_{v \in V} f_{vv_3}$$

$$\sum_{v \in V} f_{v_4v} = \sum_{v \in V} f_{vv_4}$$

$$f_{sv_1} \geq 0$$

$$f_{sv_2} \geq 0$$

$$f_{v_1v_3} \geq 0$$

$$f_{v_2v_1} \geq 0$$

$$f_{v_2v_4} \geq 0$$

$$f_{v_3v_2} \geq 0$$

$$f_{v_4t} \geq 0$$

**Ex. 4**

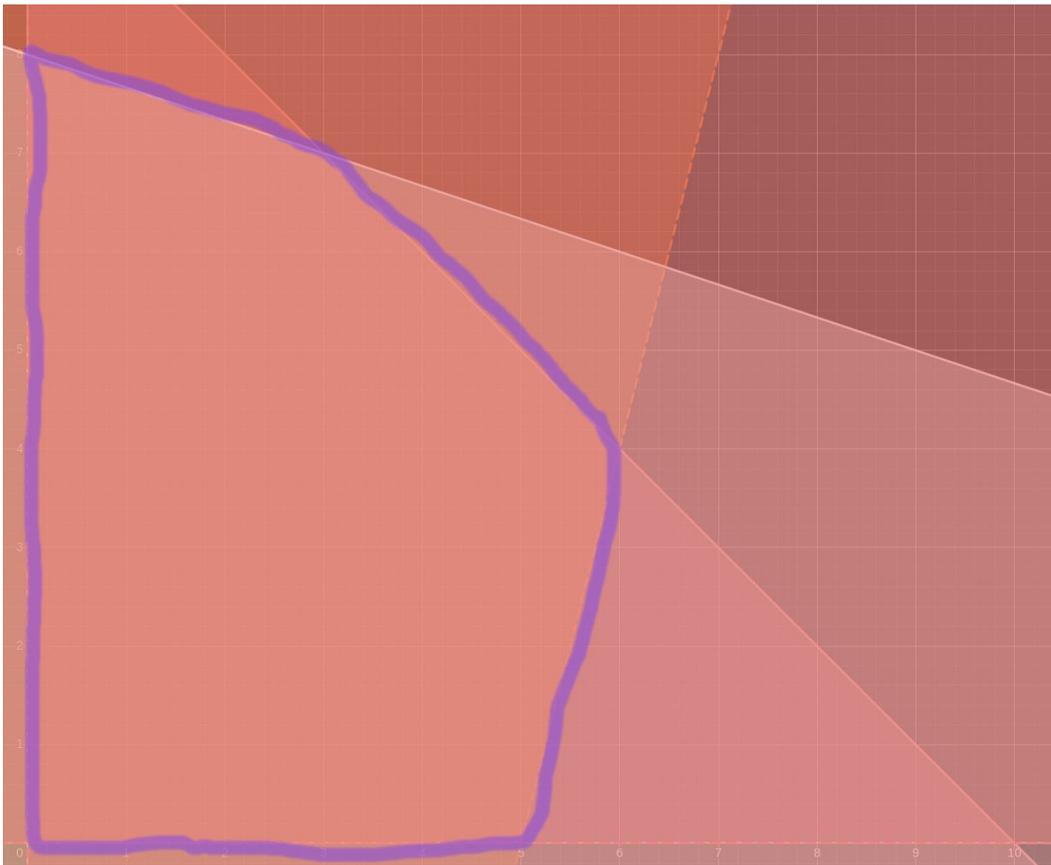
**Ex. 5**

## Problems

**Prob. 1**

**a**

For the sake of time, We cheat by a drawn graph from [desmos](#).



**b**

**Standard Form**

Here  $n = 2$  and  $m = 4$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Maximize } 4(x_1) + 1(x_2) \\ & \text{Subject to } 1(x_1) + 1(x_2) \leq 10 \\ & \quad 4(x_1) + -1(x_2) \leq 20 \\ & \quad 1(x_1) + 3(x_2) \leq 24 \\ & \quad x_1, x_2 \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

### Slack Form

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Maximize } 4(x_1) + 1(x_2) \\ & \text{Subject to } x_3 = -1(x_1) - 1(x_2) + 10 \\ & \quad x_4 = -4(x_1) + 1(x_2) + 20 \\ & \quad x_5 = -1(x_1) - 3(x_2) + 24 \\ & \quad x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5 \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

**c**

The solution form is  $(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5)$  where  $x_1, x_2$  are basic and  $x_3, x_4, x_5$  are non-basic. Basic solution, by setting basic variables to zeros is  $(0, 0, 10, 20, 24)$ .

Interchange basic  $x_1$  with non-basic  $x_4$ . Solving  $x_1$  by the equation of  $x_4$ , We get  $x_1 = 5 + \frac{1}{4}x_2 + \frac{-1}{4}x_4$ . Substituting the new equation into remaining ones, We get:

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Maximize } 20 + 2x_2 - x_4 \\ & \text{Subject to } x_1 = 5 + \frac{1}{4}x_2 + \frac{-1}{4}x_4 \\ & \quad x_3 = 5 - \frac{5}{4}x_2 + \frac{1}{4}x_4 \\ & \quad x_5 = 19 + \frac{-13}{4}x_2 + \frac{1}{4}x_4 \\ & \quad x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5 \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Solution =  $(5, 0, 5, 4, 19)$  with objective equal to 20.

Interchange basic  $x_2$  with non-basic  $x_3$ . Solving  $x_2$  by the equation of  $x_3$ , We get

$x_2 = 4 - \frac{4}{5}x_3 + \frac{1}{5}x_4$ . Substituting the new equation into remaining ones, We get:

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Maximize } 28 - \frac{8}{5}x_3 - \frac{3}{5}x_4 \\ & \text{Subject to } x_1 = 6 - \frac{1}{5}x_3 - \frac{19}{20}x_4 \\ & \quad x_2 = 4 - \frac{4}{5}x_3 + \frac{1}{5}x_4 \\ & \quad x_5 = 6 + \frac{13}{5}x_3 - \frac{8}{20}x_4 \\ & \quad x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5 \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Solution = (6, 4, 0, 0, 6) with objective equal to 28.

Quoting from CLRS, page 868: "At this point, all coefficients in the objective function are negative. As we shall see later in this chapter, this situation occurs only when we have rewritten the linear program so that the basic solution is an optimal solution."

**d**

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Minimize } 10y_1 + 20y_2 + 24y_3 \\ & \text{Subject to } 1y_1 + 4y_2 + 1y_3 \geq 4 \\ & \quad 1y_1 - 1y_2 + 3y_3 \geq 1 \\ & \quad y_1, y_2, y_3 \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

From *c* we know the optimal value is 28.

## Prob. 2

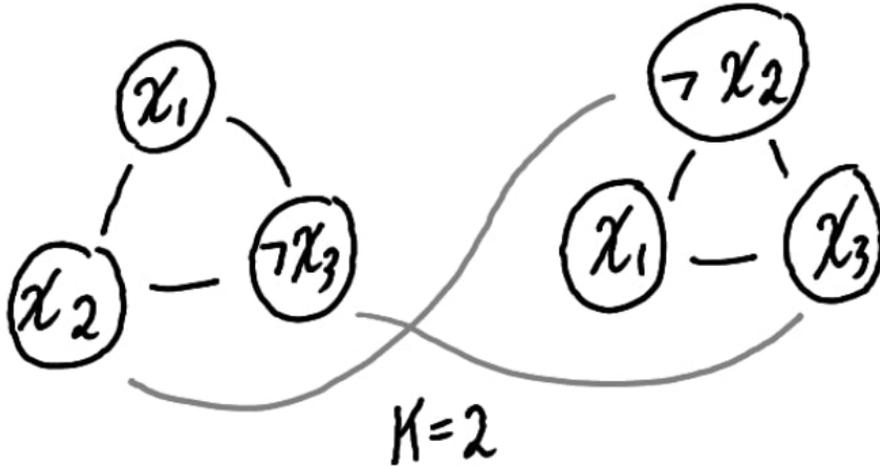
**a**

Given a 3SAT formula  $\phi$ , Construct  $\phi' = \phi \wedge (x_{n+1} \vee x_{n+2})$ . Observe every *True* assignment of  $\phi$  corresponds to three distinct *True* assignments of  $\phi'$ . It follows  $\phi$  is solvable if and only if  $\phi'$  is, and the solution of 3SAT is basically the output on  $\phi$  in formula of  $\phi'$ . Therefore 3SAT is reduced to *TRIPLE-SAT*.

b

Observe the following illustrative example reducing 3SAT to DONUT.

$$(\mathcal{X}_1 \vee \mathcal{X}_2 \vee \neg \mathcal{X}_3) \wedge (\neg \mathcal{X}_2 \vee \mathcal{X}_1 \vee \mathcal{X}_3)$$



- All profits of vertices equal exactly 1.
- Every clause is transformed to a complete 3-vertices sub-graph. It ensures Every 1 counted of  $k$  must be of a distinct sub-graph.
- $k$ , the profit threshold to be satisfied, is equal to the number of clauses. It ensures every clause to be satisfied corresponds to counting 1 of  $k$ .
- For consistency, There is an edge between every  $v_i$  and  $\neg v_i$ , So that we cannot select both of them.
- It is not problematic to select  $v_i$  multiple times. It is interpreted by many clauses being satisfied by the same literal.

Now it is clear, Given a problem instance  $x$ , The transformed construction  $f(x)$ , achieves  $x$  is 3SAT satisfiable if and only if  $f(x)$  has a subset of profit at least  $k$ .

c

We reduce from *subset-sum* problem in CLRS p.1097.

### 34.5.5 The subset-sum problem

We next consider an arithmetic NP-complete problem. In the *subset-sum problem*, we are given a finite set  $S$  of positive integers and an integer *target*  $t > 0$ . We ask whether there exists a subset  $S' \subseteq S$  whose elements sum to  $t$ . For example, if  $S = \{1, 2, 7, 14, 49, 98, 343, 686, 2409, 2793, 16808, 17206, 117705, 117993\}$  and  $t = 138457$ , then the subset  $S' = \{1, 2, 7, 98, 343, 686, 2409, 17206, 117705\}$  is a solution.

As usual, we define the problem as a language:

SUBSET-SUM =  $\{\langle S, t \rangle : \text{there exists a subset } S' \subseteq S \text{ such that } t = \sum_{s \in S'} s\}$ .

Given an arbitrary subset-sum set  $S$ , Transform each integer  $i$  to a task with time  $i$  and profit  $i$ . All deadlines are set to the given  $t$  of sum aimed to find. Think of time as a discrete sequence of seconds.

Observe the maximum obtainable profit of machines is  $t$ . Observe also if that maximum is achieved then the integers corresponding to machines form a subset whose sum is  $t$ . On the other hand, If machines' profit found does not meet  $t$  then there is no subset of integers summing to  $t$ , As otherwise machines found won't be maximal.

The problem can be stated as a decision problem, by the existence of machines whose profit is at least  $k$ . The transformation between optimization and decision problems is easily done by a logarithmic binary search. For brevity we omit those details.