

Solns to 7th Homework

9.3-3(a) Shortest path

The table is:

n	SN	CCUN	total distance	NNN	Minimum distance	last connection
1	O	A	4	A	4	OA
2,3	O	C	5	C	5	OC
	A	B	5	B	5	AB
4	A	D	11			
	B	E	9	E	9	BE
	C	E	10			
5	A	D	11			
	B	D	10	D	10	BD
	E	D	10	D	10	ED
6	D	T	16	T	16	DT
	E	T	17			

SN stands for “Solved Nodes directly connected to unsolved nodes”, CCUN for “closest connected unsolved nodes”, NNN for “nth nearest node”.

Thus we see the shortest routine is $O \rightarrow A \rightarrow B \rightarrow E \rightarrow D \rightarrow T$, or $O \rightarrow A \rightarrow B \rightarrow D \rightarrow T$, with the shortest distance 16.

11.3-10 Electronic system.

This is a resource allocation problem with multiplicative costs. We want to

$$\text{Maximize } \prod_{n=1}^4 r_n(x_n)$$

such that

$$\sum_{n=1}^4 g_n(x_n) \leq 10 \text{ (hundred).}$$

and $x_n \geq 1$ are integers.

The variable x_n stand for the number of parallel units for component n , $g_n(x_n)$ is the cost (in hundreds) of x_n parallel units for component n ; and $r_n(x_n)$ is the probability of functioning if x_n parallel units are installed.

Let

$$V_j(w) \doteq \prod_{n=j}^4 r_n(x_n)$$

such that

$$\sum_{n=j}^4 g_n(x_n) \leq w \text{ (hundred).}$$

and $x_n \geq 1$ are integers.

The DPE is

$$V_j(w) = \max_{1 \leq x \leq w} [r_j(x) \cdot V_{j+1}(w - g_j(x_j))].$$

We have

$$V_4(0) = V_4(1) = 0, \quad V_4(2) = 0.5, \quad V_4(3) = 0.7, \quad V_4(4) = V_4(5) = \dots = V_4(10) = 0.9$$

and

$$V_3(0) = V_3(1) = V_3(2) = 0, \quad V_3(3) = 0.7 \cdot 0.5 = 0.35, \quad V_3(4) = 0.7 \cdot 0.7 = 0.49$$

$$V_3(5) = \max [0.7 \cdot 0.9, 0.8 \cdot 0.2] = 0.63, \quad V_3(6) = \max [0.7 \cdot 0.9, 0.8 \cdot 0.7, 0.9 \cdot 0.5] = 0.63;$$

$$V_3(7) = \max [0.7 \cdot 0.9, 0.8 \cdot 0.9, 0.9 \cdot 0.7] = 0.63,$$

$$V_3(8) = V_3(9) = V_3(10) = \max [0.7 \cdot 0.9, 0.8 \cdot 0.9, 0.9 \cdot 0.9] = 0.81;$$

Similarly, one can compute that

$$V_2(1) = V_2(2) = V_2(3) = V_2(4) = 0,$$

$$V_2(5) = 0.21, \quad V_2(6) = 0.294, \quad V_2(7) = 0.378, \quad V_2(8) = 0.378, \quad V_2(9) = 0.441, \quad V_2(10) = 0.504.$$

The quantity we are interested in is

$$V_1(10) = \max [0.5 \cdot 0.441, 0.6 \cdot 0.378, 0.8 \cdot 0.378] = 0.3024.$$

Thus the optimal distribution is 3 units for component 1, 1 unit for component 2, 1 unit for component 3, and 3 unit for component 4. The maximal probability is 0.3024.

12.1-2(a) Household chores

let $x_1 = 1$ if Eve do Marketing and $x_1 = 0$ otherwise; $x_2 = 1$ if Eve do Cooking and $x_2 = 0$ otherwise; $x_3 = 1$ if Eve do Dishwashing and $x_3 = 0$ otherwise; $x_4 = 1$ if Eve do Laundry and $x_4 = 0$ otherwise.

The objective is:

Minimize $z = 4.5x_1 + 7.8x_2 + 3.6x_3 + 2.9x_4 + 4.9(1 - x_1) + 7.2(1 - x_2) + 4.3(1 - x_3) + 3.1(1 - x_4)$
with constraint:

$x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 2$ and $x_i = 0$ or 1 .

12.3-1(a) Progressive company

let $y_i, i = 1 \dots 4$ be the binary variable which is one when i^{th} product is on line, and $y_5 = 1$ if the second constraint in 3 is used and 0 otherwise. So the objective is :

Maximize

$$\begin{aligned} Z = & x_1 70 + x_2 60 + x_3 90 + x_4 80 \\ & - y_1 50000 - y_2 40000 - y_3 70000 - y_4 60000 \end{aligned}$$

under constrain:

$$x_1 \leq My_1, x_2 \leq My_2, x_3 \leq My_3, x_4 \leq My_4$$

$$y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + y_4 \leq 2$$

$$y_1 + y_2 \geq y_3$$

$$y_1 + y_2 \geq y_4$$

$$5x_1 + 3x_2 + 6x_3 + 4x_4 \leq 6000 + My_5$$

$$4x_1 + 6x_2 + 3x_3 + 5x_4 \leq 6000 + M(1 - y_5)$$

12.3-4(a) Toys production:

Let $v = 1$ if factory 1 is used and $v = 0$ if factory 2 is used. Let $y_1 = 1$ if toy 1 are produced and $y_1 = 0$ otherwise. Similarly, Let $y_2 = 1$ if toy 2 are produced and $y_2 = 0$ otherwise. Let x_1, x_2 be the number of toy 1 and 2 produced.

We want to

$$\text{Maximize } Z = 10x_1 + 15x_2 - 50000y_1 - 80000y_2$$

such that

$$x_1 \leq My_1$$

$$x_2 \leq My_2$$

$$\frac{1}{50}x_1 + \frac{1}{40}x_2 \leq 500 + Mv$$

$$\frac{1}{40}x_1 + \frac{1}{25}x_2 \leq 700 + M(1 - v)$$

and $x_1, x_2 \geq 0$ integers, y_1, y_2, v binary.