

Gandhi Institute of Engineering and Technology University, Odisha, Gunupur (GIET University)



B. Tech (Sixth Semester - Regular) Examinations, April 2026

23BHS36001 – Optimization Engineering

(Biotech, Chemical, CSE, Mechanical)

Time: 3 hrs

Maximum: 60 Marks

Answer ALL questions
(The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks)

PART – A

(2 x 5 = 10 Marks)

Q.1. Answer **ALL** questions

- | | CO # | Blooms Level |
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| a. Define “Slack” and “Surplus” variables. | CO1 | K1 |
| b. Discuss the effect of changing RHS values on the optimal solution? | CO2 | K1 |
| c. Write the steps for solving Least cost method. | CO3 | K1 |
| d. Discuss the formula of traffic intensity in queuing theory. | CO4 | K1 |
| e. What are the necessary conditions for optimality using Lagrange multipliers? | CO5 | K1 |

PART – B

(10 x 5 = 50 Marks)

Answer **ALL** the questions

- | | Marks | CO # | Blooms Level |
|---|-------|------|--------------|
| 2. a. Use graphical method to Solve the LPP. Maximize $Z = 3x_1 + 2x_2$,
Subject to $5x_1 + x_2 \geq 10$, $x_1 + x_2 \geq 6$, $x_1 + 4x_2 \geq 12$, $x_1, x_2 \geq 0$ | 5 | CO1 | K2 |
| b. Solve the following LPP by simplex method $\max Z = 3x_1 + 2x_2$ subject to
conditions $x_1 + x_2 \leq 4$, $x_1 - x_2 \leq 2$, and $x_1 \geq 0$, $x_2 \geq 0$ | 5 | CO1 | K2 |
| (OR) | | | |
| c. Solve by using big-M method the following linear programming problem:
$\max Z = -2x_1 - x_2$ subject to conditions $3x_1 + x_2 = 3$,
$4x_1 + 3x_2 \geq 6$, $x_1 + 2x_2 \leq 4$ and $x_1 \geq 0$, $x_2 \geq 0$ | 10 | CO1 | K3 |
| 3.a. Solve the LPP, Maximize $Z = 5x_1 + 3x_2$, subject to $3x_1 + 5x_2 \leq 15$
$5x_1 + 2x_2 \leq 10$, $x_1, x_2 \geq 0$ | | | |
| a. Find the optimal solution. | 10 | CO2 | K3 |
| b. Find the range of the coefficient c_1 in the objective function,
The current optimal solution will not change. | | | |
| (OR) | | | |
| b. Solve the integer programming problem by using Branch and bound method
Maximise $Z = 2x + 3y$
Subject to $6x + 5y \leq 25$
$x + 3y \leq 10$, $x, y \geq 0$ | 10 | CO2 | K3 |
| 4.a. There are five jobs to be assigned to five machines are available the cost of each
job on each machine is given below. Determine the job assignments that will
maximum the total cost | | | |

	A	B	C	D	E
1	32	38	40	28	40
2	40	24	28	21	36
3	41	27	33	30	37
4	22	38	41	36	36
5	29	33	40	35	39

10 CO3 K3

(OR)

- b. Find the optimal solution of the following transportation problem

Warehouse Factory	W_1	W_2	W_3	W_4	Factory capacity
F_1	19	30	580	10	7
F_2	70	30	40	60	9
F_3	40	8	70	20	18
Requirement	5	8	7	14	

10 CO3 K3

- 5.a. Consider a self-service store with one cashier. Assume Poisson arrivals and exponential service times. Suppose that on average nine customers arrive every 5 minutes and that the cashier can serve 10 in 5 minutes. Find:

- average number of customers queuing for service
- probability of having more than 10 customers in the system, and
- probability that a customer has to queue for more than 2

10 CO4 K3

(OR)

- b. Explain Dominance properties in game theory and solve the following game using Dominance principle.

2	4	3	8	4
5	6	3	7	8
6	7	9	8	7
4	2	8	4	3

10 CO4 K3

- 6.a. Solve the non- linear programming problem

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Min } Z &= 2x_1^2 + x_2^2 + 3x_3^2 + 10x_1 + 8x_2 + 6x_3 - 100 \\ \text{Subject to } x_1 + x_2 + x_3 &= 20, \quad x_1, x_2, x_3 \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

10 CO5 K3

(OR)

- b. Solve the non- linear programming problem by using Kuhn-Tucker Conditions

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Maximize } Z &= 12x_1 + 21x_2 + 2x_1x_2 - 2x_1^2 - 2x_2^2 \\ \text{Subject to, } x_2 &\leq 8 \\ x_1 + x_2 &\leq 10, \quad x_1, x_2 \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

10 CO5 K3

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