

6. (a) Solve the following Cargo-Loading problem :

Item ( $n$ )	Weight ( $w_n$ )	Value ( $v_n$ )
1	2	7
2	3	10
3	1	3

$N = 5, N = 3$  and there is no volumes restriction.

Or

- (b) A can is to be made in the form of a right circular cylinder to contain at least  $V$  cubic inches of oil. What dimensions of the can will require the least amount of material ?

- (c) Minimize  $g_0(x) = 2\pi x_1^2 + 2\pi x_1 x_2 + 2\pi x_1^{-1} x_2$   
subject to

$$g_1(x) = 16x_1^{-2} x_2^{-1} \leq 1, x_1 > 0, x_2 > 0.$$

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Time : 3 hours

Full Marks : 80

Answer all sections as per direction .

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to answer in their own words  
as far as practicable

Symbols used have their usual meaning

(OPTIMIZATION TECHNIQUES - II)

SECTION - A

1. Answer all questions :

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- (a) Define a general quadratic program.  
(b) Define a signomial.  
(c) What is a projectile ?  
(d) State weak duality theorem.  
(e) What is principle of optimality ?

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- (f) Define a dual quadratic program.  
 (g) What is a complementarity problem?  
 (h) What is Frank-Wolfe method?

Or

2. Answer any four questions : 4 × 4

- (a) Show that quadratic program can not have an unbounded solution when  $G$  is a positive definite matrix.  
 (b) Let  $p_i > 0, q_i > 0$  such that

$$\sum_{i=1}^r p_i = \sum_{i=1}^r q_i.$$

Then show that

$$\sum_{i=1}^r p_i \ln p_i \geq \sum_{i=1}^r p_i \ln q_i$$

- (c) Find an expression for maximum height attained by projectile using dynamic program.  
 (d) Show that  $x^0$  solves the problem I: Minimize

$f(x)$ , subject to  $g_i(x) \geq 0$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, q$ )  
 where  $x = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_p)^T$  if and only if

$$\begin{pmatrix} x^0 \\ x_{p+1}^0 \end{pmatrix} x_{p+1}^0 = f(x^0) \text{ solve}$$

II: Minimize  $z = x_{p+1}$  subject to  
 $x_{p+1} - f(x) \geq 0, g_i(x) \geq 0, i = 1, 2, \dots, q$  where  
 $x = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_p)^T$ .

- (e) A point  $x^0 \in \Omega$  is an optimal solution to program QP if and only if for some  $\lambda^0 \geq 0$ ,  $(x^0, \lambda^0)$  is a saddle point of the Lagrangian

$$L(x, \lambda) = f(x) \lambda^T (Ax - b),$$

where  $\lambda \geq 0$ .

- (f) Explain the difference between Wolfe's method and Beale's method for solving a quadratic programming problem.

### SECTION - B

Answer all questions : 16 × 4

3. (a) Explain Wolfe's algorithm for solving a quadratic programming problem.

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Or

- (b) Solve the following problem using Beale's method :

Minimize

$$f(x_1, x_2) = -10x_1 - 25x_2 + 10x_1^2 + 4x_1x_2 + x_2^2$$

subject to

$$x_1 + 2x_2 \leq 10; \quad x_1 + x_2 \leq 9; \quad x_1, x_2 \geq 0.$$

4. (a) If  $x$  solves the linear program LP-I and if an optimal solution  $y$  to the dual program OLP satisfies  $(I - M^T)y + p > 0$  where  $I$  is the identity matrix, then show that  $x$  solves the corresponding linear complementarity problem.

- (b) If  $\theta$  is any strictly increasing function from  $R$  to  $R$  with  $\theta(0) = 0$ . Then show that  $x$  solves the complementarity problem if and only if

$$\theta(|F_i(x) - x_i|) - \theta(F_i(x) - \theta(x_i)) = 0$$

if  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ; where  $F_i(x)$  and  $x_i$  are the  $i$ th components of the vectors  $f(x)$  and  $x$  respectively.

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Or

- (c) Find an  $x \in R^4$  that solves the linear complementarity problem where

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ -1 & -1 & -2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad q = \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ -3 \\ -2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

5. (a) Using Frank and Wolfe algorithm solve the following program :

Minimize  $f(x) = x_1^2 + 4x_2^2$   
subject to

$$x_1 + 2x_2 - x_3 = 1; \quad -x_1 + x_2 + x_4 = 0; \\ x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4 \geq 0.$$

Or

- (b) Solve the following problem by Kelley's cutting plane algorithm :

Minimize  $4x_1 + 5x_2$   
subject to

$$x_1^2 + 2x_1x_2 + 2x_2^2 \leq 4; \quad -x_1^2 - x_2^2 + 4x_1 \geq 3.$$