

Applied Finite Mathematics, 3rd edition

**Chapter 4: Linear Programming by the Simplex Method
Answers to Odd Numbered Homework Problems and
Answers to all problems in the Chapter Review Section**

4.1 No homework problems

4.2 Maximization by the Simplex Method

- 1). $x_1 = 0, x_2 = 9, x_3 = 3, z = 27$ 3). Wheat 80 acres, corn 20 acres; Profit \$8400
5). 600 boxes; 400 of Box I, 200 of Box II, and none of Box III

4.3 Minimization by the Simplex Method

- 1) Dual program is Maximize $z = 7y_1 + 9y_2$
Subject to $2y_1 + 4y_2 \leq 6, 3y_1 + 5y_2 \leq 8, y_1 \geq 0, y_2 \geq 0$
Answer to minimization problem is $x_1 = 0, x_2 = 7/3, z = 56/3$
- 3) Dual program is Maximize $z = 10y_1 + 24y_2$
Subject to $1y_1 + 3y_2 \leq 4, 1y_1 + 2y_2 \leq 3, y_1 \geq 0, y_2 \geq 0$
Answer to minimization problem is $x_1 = 4, x_2 = 6, z = 34$

4.4 Review Problems

- 1). $x_1 = 4, x_2 = 8, y_1 = 0, y_2 = 0, z = 44$
2). $x_1 = 6, x_2 = 12, y_1 = 0, y_2 = 0, z = 126$
3). $x_1 = 6, x_2 = 4, x_3 = 0, y_1 = 0, y_2 = 0, z = 24$
4). $x_1 = 450, x_2 = 0, x_3 = 1800, y_1 = 750, y_2 = 0, y_3 = 0, z = 14,850$
5). $x_1 = 0, x_2 = 200, x_3 = 1600, y_1 = 0, y_2 = 0, y_3 = 1200, z = 9600$
6). $x_1 = 2, x_2 = 4, z = 64$
7). $x_1 = 10, x_2 = 10, x_3 = 0, z = 100$
8). $x_1 = 15.4, x_2 = 35.4, x_3 = 0, z = 570$
9). $x_1 = 0, x_2 = 80, x_3 = 100, y_1 = 0, y_2 = 20, y_3 = 0, z = 23000$
10). $x_1 = 0, x_2 = 30, x_3 = 60, y_1 = 0, y_2 = 0, z = 3300$
11). $x_1 = 60, x_2 = 20, z = 340,000$
12). $x_1 = 12, x_2 = 0, x_3 = 10, z = 42$