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LECTURE 11: 3WN2.1.

LAST TIME:

	T_1	z	x_1	x_2	s_1	s_2	
EQ 1	s_1	0	5	20	1	0	400
EQ 2	s_2	0	10	15	0	1	450
EQ 3		1	-1	-2	0	0	0

ADD x_2 TO THE BASIS, PUSHING OUT s_1 ,

	T_2	z	x_1	x_2	s_1	s_2	
x_2	0	1/4	1	1/20	0	0	20
s_2	0	25/4	0	-3/4	1	0	150
	1	-1/2	0	1/10	0	0	40

[MULTIPLY EQ1 BY $1/20$; SUBTRACT $15/20$ OF EQ1 FROM EQ2;
ADD $1/10$ OF EQ1 TO EQ3]

NOTE THAT $z = 40 + \frac{1}{2}x_1 - \frac{1}{10}s_1$. CURRENT BASIS CORRESPONDS

TO $z = 40$ WHICH COULD BE INCREASED BY ADDING x_1 TO THE BASIS.

STEP THREE: CHANGING THE BASIS, INTRODUCING x_1 .

s_1 WILL REMAIN NON-BASIC AND SO EQUAL TO 0.

$$\frac{1}{4}x_1 + x_2 = 20 \quad \text{SO } x_2 = 0 \Rightarrow x_1 = 80$$

$$\frac{25}{4}x_1 + s_2 = 150 \quad s_2 \leq 0 \Rightarrow x_1 = 24.$$

[TAKE $x_1 = M \geq 0$ THEN $(M, 20 - \frac{1}{4}M, 0, 150 - \frac{25}{4}M)$ SOLVES $Ax = b$. CHOOSE M TO GET A BFS].

(B)

i. ADD x_1 , REMOVE x_2 .

$$x_1 = 80, s_2 = -350 \text{ NOT FEASIBLE.}$$

$$\text{BASIC SOLUTION } (80, 0, 0, -350)^T$$

ii. ADD x_1 , REMOVE s_2

$$x_1 = 24, x_2 = 14$$

BASIC SOLUTION $(24, 14, 0, 0)^T$ FEASIBLE. PERFORM ROW OPERATIONS ON T_2 TO OBTAIN T_3 .

- MULTIPLY EQ2 BY $4/25$
- SUBTRACT $1/25$ EQ2 FROM EQ1
- ADD $2/25$ EQ2 TO EQ3.

T_3	z	x_1	x_2	s_1	s_2	
x_2	0	0	1	$2/25$	$-1/25$	14
x_1	0	1	0	$-3/25$	$4/25$	24
	1	0	0	$1/25$	$2/25$	52

$$x^* = (24, 14, 0, 0)^T$$

$$z = 52 - \frac{1}{25} s_1 - \frac{2}{25} s_2 \leq 52 = z(x^*)$$

ALL OF THE REDUCED COSTS ARE ≤ 0 . THIS IS THE OPTIMAL SOLUTION (UNIQUE AS ALL REDUCED COSTS < 0).

* SEE PICTURE *

4.2 MOVING TO A BETTER BASIS.

(WLOG CURRENT BASIS SOLUTION). CONSIDER BASIS SOLUTION

$$x_B = (x_1, \dots, x_m)^T, \quad x_N = (x_{m+1}, \dots, x_n)^T \quad B = (a_1, \dots, a_m)$$

ASSUME BASIC SOLUTION IS FEASIBLE SO $B^{-1}b \geq 0_m$.

(C)

BASIC FEASIBLE SOLUTION HAS $x_{m+j} = 0 \quad \forall j = 1, \dots, n-m$.
AND, FOR ANY SOLUTION TO $\underline{A} \underline{x} = \underline{b}$,

$$\underline{x}_B + \underline{B}^{-1} \underline{N} \underline{x}_N = \underline{B}^{-1} \underline{b} \quad (*)$$

LET α_{ij} DENOTE (i,j) th entry OF $\underline{B}^{-1} \underline{N}$ AND β_i i th ELEMENT OF $\underline{B}^{-1} \underline{b}$. THEN $(*)$ IS EQUIVALENT TO:

	T	z	m BASIS VARIABLES		n-m NON-BASIS		
BASIS VARIABLES	{	0	I_m		$B^{-1}N$		$B^{-1}b$
		$\vdots$					
		0					
		1	0_m^T	$-(c_N^T - c_B^T B^{-1}N)$	$c_B^T B^{-1}b$		

$$x_1 + \alpha_{11} x_{m+1} + \alpha_{12} x_{m+2} + \dots + \alpha_{1, n-m} x_n = \beta_1$$

$$x_2 + \alpha_{21} x_{m+1} + \alpha_{22} x_{m+2} + \dots + \alpha_{2, n-m} x_n = \beta_2 \quad (**)$$

$$\vdots$$

$$x_m + \alpha_{m1} x_{m+1} + \alpha_{m2} x_{m+2} + \dots + \alpha_{m, n-m} x_n = \beta_m$$

CURRENT BASIS SOLUTION HAS $x_{m+j} = 0 \quad \forall j = 1, \dots, n-m$. SUPPOSE INTRODUCE x_{m+j} INTO THE BASIS BUT ALL OTHER NON-BASIC VARIABLES REMAIN EQUAL TO ZERO. THEN $(**)$ BECOMES:

$$x_i + \alpha_{ij} x_{m+j} = \beta_i \quad i = 1, \dots, m$$

$$[\underline{x}_B + x_{m+j} (\underline{B}^{-1} \underline{N})_j = \underline{B}^{-1} \underline{b}]$$

- IF $\alpha_{ij} > 0$ THEN INCREASING x_{m+j} (FROM 0) DECREASES x_i
- IF $\alpha_{ij} = 0$ THEN INCREASING x_{m+j} HAS NO EFFECT ON x_i
- IF $\alpha_{ij} < 0$ THEN INCREASING x_{m+j} INCREASES x_i HERE.

WE CAN ONLY PUSH OUT AN x_i FOR WHICH $\alpha_{ij} > 0$ // WE REDUCE x_i TO ZERO (i.e. NON-BASIC) WHEN:

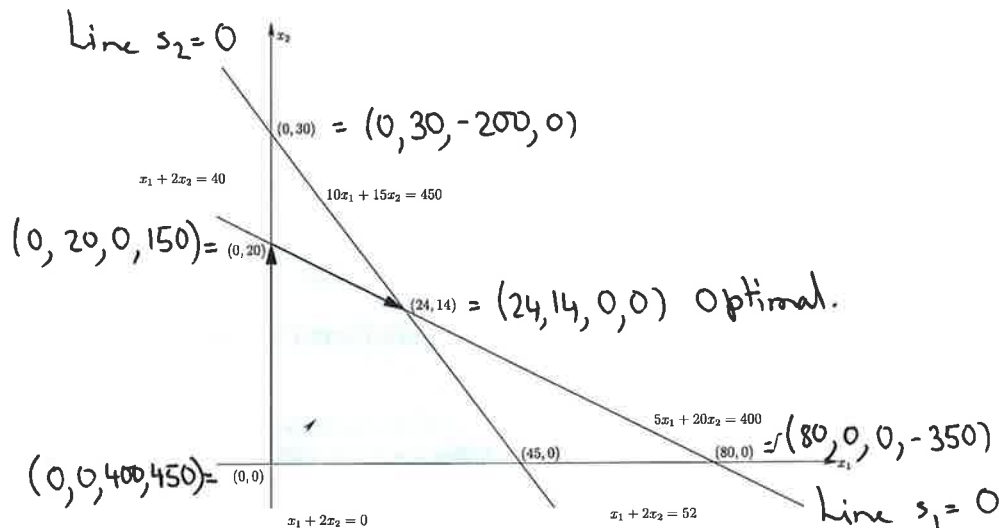


Figure 1: Representation of the simplex algorithm for the original standard problem. Step One corresponds to the extreme point $(0,0)$. In Step Two we introduce x_2 into the basis which increases the objective function. Pushing out s_1 corresponds to moving to $(0,20)$ which is feasible and the move we make; pushing out s_2 corresponds to moving to $(0,30)$ which is not feasible. In Step Three we introduce x_1 into the basis. Pushing out s_2 corresponds to moving to $(24,14)$ which is feasible and optimal and the move we make; pushing out x_2 corresponds to moving to $(80,0)$ which is not feasible.

Step Two: Changing the basis, introducing x_2 .

T_1	z	x_1	x_2	s_1	s_2	
s_1	0	5	20	1	0	400
s_2	0	10	15	0	1	450
	1	-1	-2	0	0	0

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- To maintain feasibility, replace s_1 by x_2 in the basis
- Basic feasible solution is $(0, 20, 0, 150)$ with $z = 40 + \frac{1}{2}x_1 - \frac{1}{10}s_1$.
- There is a positive reduced cost: introducing x_1 into the basis will increase z .

Step Three: Changing the basis, introducing x_1 .

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T_3	z	x_1	x_2	s_1	s_2	
x_2	0	0	1	2/25	-1/25	14
x_1	0	1	0	-3/25	4/25	24
	1	0	0	1/25	2/25	52

- To maintain feasibility, replace s_2 by x_1 in the basis
- Basic feasible solution is $(24, 14, 0, 0)$ with $z = 52 - \frac{1}{25}s_1 - \frac{2}{25}s_2$.
- All the reduced costs are negative: this is the optimal solution.