

Final topics

New material

- (1) Min-cost flow - algorithm cycle 7.2
- (2) incremental weighted flow network $N'(f)$
- (3) Floyd-Warshall Algorithm section 6.5, meaning of $d_{i,k}^j$, D^j and E^j matrices, reconstructing a short path using E^n matrix - see handout.

Material from Exams 1 through 4

- (1) Simplex method
- (2) Lexicographic simplex - know the row selection rule pivot rules and how to apply it - Theorem 14.1
- (3) Bland's rule - know the column and row selection rules and how to apply them
- (4) Two phase simplex method - make sure you know how to transition between the two phases and what the solution to the first phase LP implies about the original LP.
- (5) Fact that lexicographic simplex and Bland's rule do not cycle
- (6) Formulas for pre-multiplication matrix and tableau (see presentation on simplex).
- (7) Theorem 1 - see handout
- (8) Fundamental theorem:

Suppose (P) is an LP in standard form and the constraint matrix has full rank.

- If (P) has a feasible solution, then it has a basic feasible solution.
- If (P) does not have an optimal solution, then the LP is infeasible or unbounded.
- If (P) has an optimal solution, then it has an optimal basic feasible solution.

- (9) Definitions (from exam 1):
 - 1) linear function
 - 2) affine function
 - 3) feasible solution
 - 4) feasible region,
 - 5) optimal solution/optimum
 - 6) infeasible
 - 7) unbounded.
 - 8) general form
 - 9) standard form
 - 10) canonical form
 - 11) slack variable
 - 12) surplus variable
 - 13) full rank
 - 14) basis
 - 15) feasible basis
 - 16) basic solution
 - 17) basic feasible solution,
 - 18) solved for a basis
 - 19) basic variables
 - 20) nonbasic variables
 - 21) tableau
 - 22) pre-multiplication matrix
 - 23) relative cost of a variable/column
 - 24) relative cost vector
 - 25) degenerate basic feasible solution
 - 26) zero-level
 - 27) cycling
 - 28) lexicographically positive/negative/zero
 - 29) lexicographically greater than/equal to/less than

- 30) artificial variables
- 31) driving artificial variables out of the basis
- (10) Weak Duality - If \mathbf{x} is feasible for P and π is feasible for its dual D, then $\pi^T \mathbf{b} \leq \mathbf{c}^T \mathbf{x}$ (and proof).
- (11) Finding the dual of a linear program in general form (Definition 3.1)
- (12) Strong Duality (Theorem 3.1)
- (13) Dual of the dual is primal (Theorem 3.2)
- (14) Chart with possible combinations of finite optimum, unbounded and infeasible for the primal and the dual (Theorem 3.3 in PS)
- (15) Complementary slackness (section 3.4) (and proof)
- (16) Farkas Lemma (Theorem 3.5) (and proof)
- (17) Feasible basis and dual feasible basis - B is a dual feasible basis if $\pi^T = \mathbf{c}_B^T \mathbf{A}_B^{-1}$ is feasible for the dual
- (18) Dual simplex method (Section 3.6)
- (19) Handling additional constraints, changes to the objective function or changes to the vector \mathbf{b} .
- (20) Shadow/marginal prices - (see the dual simplex presentation for a discussion of this topic - HW 6 #1 is also relevant).
- (21) zero-sum games, pure strategy, mixed strategy, Alice, Bob, $\beta(\mathbf{x})$, $\alpha(\mathbf{y})$, worst-case optimal strategy, value of game, linear program corresponding to a matrix game, **Nash equilibrium**,
- (22) Minimax theorem
- (23) incidence matrix of a graph
- (24) maximum matching as an ILP and minimum vertex cover as an ILP (see pages 146 and 147 in section 8.2 of GM)
- (25) Integer programming and satisfiability
- (26) Totally unimodular matrices (definition)
- (27) Incidence matrix of graphs and directed graphs (definition)
- (28) Theorem 13.3 (and proof)
- (29) The incidence matrix of bipartite graphs and directed graphs are TUM (Theorem 13.3 Corollary)
- (30) (König's theorem) Min vertex cover = max matching in bipartite graphs - via integer programming
- (31) Relaxation of an integer linear program
- (32) When the matrix associated with an LP is TUM, \mathbf{b} is integer and the LP has a finite optimal solution, there exists an optimal solution that is integer. If \mathbf{c} is integer, then the dual has an optimal solution that is integer
- (33) If \mathbf{A} is TUM and \mathbf{b} is integer the basic feasible solutions of the LP in standard form are integer
- (34) Branch and bound
- (35) Network (definition)
- (36) Max flow LP (first formulation - not section 4.3)
- (37) shortest path and its dual (Section 3.4),
- (38) circulation/flow/value of a flow (definitions) -
- (39) A circulation is the sum of flows on cycles, and a (s, t) -flow is the sum of flows cycles and flows on (s, t) -paths
- (40) revised simplex method and two phase revised simplex (section 4.1)
- (41) Max-flow via revised simplex (Section 4.3)
- (42) Primal dual algorithm, Theorem 5.1 - with proof, Theorem 5.3 - with proof, Theorem 6.1 - with proof
- (43) Primal dual for shortest path (Section 5.4)
- (44) Primal dual for max flow - Ford-Fulkerson algorithm
- (45) Finding an f -augmenting (s, t) -path
- (46) Definition of an (s, t) -cut and the capacity of an (s, t) -cut (Definition 6.1)
- (47) Max flow LP and its Dual LP
- (48) Feasible solution to dual of max flow LP corresponding to an (s, t) -cut (Theorem 6.1) (with proof)
- (49) Finding a minimum (s, t) -cut in a network
- (50) Max flow equals min cut theorem (Theorem 6.2)