

Problem

Solve the problem using simplex-method.

$$\begin{aligned} F &= -14X_1 + 10X_2 \rightarrow \min \\ -21X_1 + 14X_2 &\geq -800 \\ -5.3X_1 + 12X_2 &\leq 100 \\ 5.3X_1 + 9X_2 &\leq 60 \\ X_j &\geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Solution

Multiplying objective function and the first constraint by (-1) we have:

$$\begin{aligned} F &= 14X_1 - 10X_2 \rightarrow \max \\ 21X_1 - 14X_2 &\leq 800 \\ -5.3X_1 + 12X_2 &\leq 100 \\ 5.3X_1 + 9X_2 &\leq 60 \\ X_j &\geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Let's transform all this inequalities into equalities. Let's take new variables X_5, X_6, X_7 . We have:

$$\begin{aligned} F &= 14X_1 - 10X_2 \rightarrow \max \\ 21X_1 - 14X_2 + X_5 &= 800 \\ -5.3X_1 + 12X_2 + X_6 &= 100 \\ 5.3X_1 + 9X_2 + X_7 &= 60 \\ X_j &\geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

We got an valid initial solution, because all variables are positive.

Step 1

The biggest coefficient of objective function is 14 at X_1 . Solving equation-constraint of X_1 we have:

$$\begin{aligned} X_1 &= \frac{800}{21} = 38 \\ X_1 &= -\frac{100}{5.3} = -19 = \infty \\ X_1 &= \frac{60}{5.3} = 11 \end{aligned}$$

Choosing the lowest value we get the new basis variable:

$$X_1 = \frac{60}{5.3} - \frac{9}{5.3}X_2 - \frac{X_7}{5.3}$$

Step 2

Next we substitute new basis variable into mathematical model.

$$\begin{aligned} F &= 158.48 - 33.772X_2 - 2.632X_7 \rightarrow \max \\ X_5 &= 562.28 + 35.658X_2 + 3.948X_7 \\ X_6 &= 159.996 - 8.999X_2 - 0.996X_7 \\ X_1 &= 11.32 - 1.698X_2 - 0.188X_7 \end{aligned}$$

All objective function coefficients are negative, so we stop computation. The answer is the following:

$$F_{max} = 158.48$$

$$X_1 = 11.32$$

$$X_2 = 0$$