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Program: BScGen04

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Class: TYBSc(Mathematics)

Name of the Course: Operations Research

Time: 2Hrs

Paper: V

SET : A

Course Type: core

Max.Marks: 35

Course Code: MT 355(A)

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Instructions to the candidate:

- 1) *There are 3 sections in the question paper. Write each section on separate page.*
- 2) *All Sections are compulsory.*
- 3) *Figures to the right indicate full marks.*
- 4) *Draw a well labelled diagram wherever necessary.*

SECTION: A

Q1. Attempt any FIVE of the following.

(5*2=10 marks)

- a) Identify the direction of decrease in Z when minimize $Z = 4x_1 - 2x_2$.
- b) Define slack and surplus variables.
- c) Define linear programming problem.
- d) Write the dual of $\text{Max } Z = 3x_1 + 25x_2$

$$\text{Sub to, } 2x_1 + 4x_2 \geq 40$$

$$3x_1 + 2x_2 \geq 50, x_1, x_2 \geq 0.$$

- e) Determine the feasible space for the following constraint.

$$-x_1 + x_2 \geq 0, x_1, x_2 \geq 0$$

- f) Write the canonical form of

$$\text{Max } Z = 3x + 5y$$

$$\text{Sub to, } x - 3y = 4$$

$$-x + y \geq 1, x, y \geq 0$$

- g) Define degeneracy in a Transportation Problem. How is it resolved?

SECTION: B

Q2. Attempt any THREE of the following.

(3*5=15 marks)

a) Solve the LPP by simplex method.

$$\text{Max } Z = 5x + 3y$$

$$\text{Sub to, } 3x + 5y \leq 15$$

$$6x + 2y \leq 24 \quad x \geq 0, y \geq 0.$$

b) Find the optimal solution of the following LPP by algebraic method:

$$\text{Max } Z = 3x_1 + 5x_2 - 2x_3$$

$$\text{Sub to, } x_1 + 2x_2 + 2x_3 \leq 10$$

$$2x_1 + 4x_2 + 3x_3 \leq 15, \quad x_1, x_2, x_3 \geq 0.$$

c) The table given below has been taken from the solution procedure of transportation problem.

	X	Y	Z	Supply
A	31 (4)	24 (8)	(8)	56
B	41 (16)	(24)	41 (16)	82
C	(8)	77 (16)	(24)	77
Demand	72	102	41	

Find optimal solution, check whether it is optimal or not.

d)) Write the dual of the following primal problem.

$$\text{Max } Z = 25x - 12y$$

$$\text{Sub to, } 2x + 3y \geq 2$$

$$-2x + 6y = 8$$

$$12x + 13y \leq 30$$

$$x \geq 0, y \text{ is unrestricted in sign.}$$

e) Determine Initial basic feasible solution of the following transportation problem by north west corner method and optimize it.

	W1	W2	W3	W4	Capacity
O1	6	8	8	5	30
O2	5	11	9	7	40
O3	8	9	7	13	50
Demand	35	28	32	25	

SECTION: C

Q3. Attempt any ONE of the following.

(1*10=10 marks)

a) Use the Simplex Method to solve the following LPP

$$\text{Max } Z = 3x_1 + 25x_2 + 4x_3$$

$$\text{Sub to, } 2x_1 + 3x_2 \leq 8$$

$$2x_1 + 5x_3 \leq 10$$

$$3x_1 + 2x_2 + 4x_3 \leq 15$$

$$x_1, x_2, x_3 \geq 0.$$

b) Reddy Mikks produces both interior and exterior paints from two raw materials M_1 and M_2 . The following table provides the basic data of the problem.

R	Exterior Paint	Interior Paint	Max. daily availability
Raw material M_1	6	4	24
Raw material M_2	1	2	6
Profit per tons	5	4	-

A market survey indicates that the daily demand for interior paint cannot exceed that of exterior paint by more than 1 ton. Also, maximum daily demand of interior paint is 2 tons. Formulate the LPP and solve graphically. Also determine the range of

optimality $\frac{c_1}{c_2}$.